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U.S. SILVER PLAN TO BE EXPOSED? STRONG GROUP ASKS REMONETISATION ORGANISING TO FORCE QUICK ACTION

(SPECIAL TO "TELEGRAPH")

Washington, Jan. 8.

As a result of the agitation among the Silver Bloc, it was learned to-day that Congress may enforce the Secretary of the Treasury, Mr. Morgenthau, to render a strict account of the Administration's monetary programme, especially the policy relating to silver purchases.

Mr. Morgenthau says that there is absolutely no significance attached to the seigniorage figures in the budget, as they do not mean that any change will be made in the silver purchasing programme.

The estimated seigniorage for the fiscal year 1936 is \$125,000,000 as compared with \$100,000,000 for 1935.

Meanwhile, members of the House of Representatives who favour further immediate legislation designed to increase the price of silver to-day began the organisation of a congressional bloc, regardless of party lines, to accelerate the campaign for the remonetisation of the white metal. The leader of the bloc in the House is Representative John A. Martin, Democrat of Colorado.

The members of the bloc in the House plan to consult and work closely with the Senate group which is also working energetically for the remonetisation of silver. Political observers here expect that the new organisation will be more effective and larger than the silver bloc which wielded so much influence at the last session of Congress.

POWERFUL BODY
Representative Martin to-day declared that "the present silver law has been a step-child on the Treasury's door-step. If the officials of the Treasury carried out the law, silver would rise to U.S.\$1 an ounce, bring great benefits to the miners and expand our currency."

Mr. Martin said that the United States is suffering from insufficient currency and excessive dependency on bank credit. He deplored the "timidity" with which he declared the silver issue had been confronted.

Mr. Martin added: "If the country could stand cutting the gold content of the dollar, it could also stand at least the experiment of remonetising silver. At the time the gold dollar was devalued, silver should have moved into the picture. Events showed there were no great stores of cheap silver available in the world."

Mr. Martin himself favours remonetisation of silver at 16 to 1 ratio with gold. He said that as yet there was available no consensus of his colleagues in the new silver bloc regarding procedure.

BENEFITS APPARENT
Representative James Scrugham, Democrat of Nevada and a prominent advocate of new legislation to aid silver, predicted that the new bloc will be larger than the group of 105 which successfully insisted on silver legislation at the last session.

It is understood the bloc's programme will depend to some extent on future indications regarding the Roosevelt Administration's intentions in respect to silver.—United Press.

NERVOUSNESS REDUCED

Shanghai, Jan. 9.
The Foreign Exchange Market here is steady and quiet to-day. Only a fair amount of business is being transacted.

The nervousness which was the chief characteristic of the market yesterday has been reduced notably.—United Press.

LOCAL DOLLAR UNCHANGED

Despite a drop in silver prices both in London and New York, the Hongkong dollar opened unchanged this morning at 1s. 8.3d. In contrast to yesterday afternoon, the market was quite steady on opening, and business was done at 1s. 8.29/32d. and 1s. 8.31/32d.

Silver prices declined a farthing in London yesterday, the fall be-

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SHOCK FOR ACCUSED KIDNAPPER

BUT HAUPTMANN UNSHAKEN

SURPRISE EVIDENCE

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Flemington, Jan. 8.

Mandus Hochmuth, 87-year-old resident of Hopewell, N.J., was a surprise witness to-day at the trial of Bruno Hauptmann, charged with the kidnapping and murder of the Lindbergh baby.

He was called by the State and identified Hauptmann as the man he saw carrying a ladder in an automobile in the vicinity of the Lindbergh estate a few hours before the kidnapping.

Hochmuth walked up to Hauptmann in the court, placed a hand on his knee and declared: "That's the man I saw."

Hauptmann, his stoic attitude unshaken, shook his head slowly and leaning towards his wife whispered, "This old man must be crazy." His whisper could be heard all over the court.

There was another surprise in store for the court. Joseph Peronne, a Bronx taxi driver, testified that Hauptmann gave him a note, believed to have been a demand for ransom, which he delivered to Dr. Condon.

Hauptmann, almost inaudibly, muttered: "You are a liar."—United Press.

PAID HIM A DOLLAR

Flemington, Jan. 8.

After Hochmuth had declared he saw Hauptman in the vicinity of the Lindbergh home, with a ladder in his car on the night of the kidnapping, there was a further shock for the defence.

A Bronx taxi driver, John Peronne, identified Hauptmann as the man who gave him a dollar to deliver a note to Dr. Condon in March, 1932.

In a hushed court Peronne went over and laid a hand on Hauptmann's shoulder and said: "That is the man."

Mr. Edward Reilly's detailed cross-examination of this witness only produced repeated assertions that Hauptmann was the man who paid him a dollar to take a note to Dr. Condon.

STILL UNSHAKEN

Hauptmann was still quite unexcited when the court declared a recess.

He informed reporters: "I told Peronne he was a liar. I don't know why he gave that testimony. I had never seen him until he came to the police station with a lot of policemen and tried to say he had seen me before."

Dr. Condon will be the first witness to-morrow. He is the man who acted as the "go-between" for Colonel Lindbergh in his dealings with the kidnappers.—Reuter.

BUBONIC PLAGUE IN FUKIEN

WIDE AREA ALREADY AFFECTED

Foochow, Jan. 8.

The Foochow Government has received a message from Northern Fukien stating that bubonic plague has broken out in Sung-chi and Ching-ho Districts and is threatening to spread over a wider area. Hundreds of inhabitants have been infected.

Sanitary corps are being rushed to the affected districts by the Foochow Government to fight the epidemic.—Central News.

ing due to China and Indian speculative selling. America, however, bought, and the market was steady.

In New York, silver declined 8/8ths yesterday to 54¢.

Saar Voters Disqualified

GAVE NAZI SALUTE WHILE POLLING

Saarbruecken, Jan. 8.

Five men who gave the Hitler salute on entering a polling station to-day, during the first stage of the Saar plebiscite, were immediately disqualified from voting.

The German Front has protested vigorously.

The polling to-day was for the benefit of prison warders, hospital attendants and others who will be on duty on Sunday.

The incident has caused some excitement here.—Reuter.

The birthday of Sri Guru Govind Singh Ji will be celebrated at the Sikh Temple on Friday. Heads of departments and private firms are requested to grant a holiday on that day to their Sikh employees.

On the 28th yesterday to 54¢.

NEW HOPE FOR NAVAL AGREEMENT

PRINCIPLE OF EQUALITY

BRITAIN'S THESIS

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Washington, Jan. 8.

Mr. Norman Davis, chief delegate from America to the London tri-party naval conversations, declared to-day that despite the apparent failure of the conference they had, he believed, prepared the ground for an eventual Japanese-Anglo-American naval agreement.

This agreement might possibly be reached in 1936.

He said the denunciation of the Washington Treaty by Japan did not mean that the three powers would necessarily embark upon a naval armaments race. That was the last thing they desired.

Mr. Davis said his report to the Secretary of State, Mr. Cordell Hull, reflected the conciliatory attitude of the American delegation towards the Japanese demands and their appreciation of the Japanese naval ambitions.

It was subsequently learned that Mr. Davis told Mr. Hull that a possible solution of the naval deadlock would be by means of mutual agreements on the programmes of the treaty signatories, instead of by a ratio system.

He indicated that this was the general British thesis and meant that the principle of equality would be extended to all signatories of the naval treaty.—United Press.

The only batsmen to make any impression was H. Bailey, and he remained at the wicket two hours to score a gallant and stolid 44. Indication of how subdued he had to remain is given in the fact that he scored only two boundaries.

Kenneth Farnes had a wonderful spell of bowling before lunch, his kicking deliveries earning him four wickets for 16 runs. In his second spell he hit about, and finally conceded 40 runs.

HARD TO HIT

Hollies, who came on late in the innings, bowled a very fine length and upset the batsmen with his leg-breaks. Paine was even more difficult to play with his excellent flighting and puzzling spin.

England fared almost as badly as the West Indies, and but for Hammond would have been in a very bad way. The Gloucester batsman played characteristic cricket to score 43 and remain unbeaten, but Wyatt, Leyland, Hendren and Ames all failed. At the close England were 21 runs in arrears with five wickets in hand.

Score:

WEST INDIES—1ST. INNS.			
Roach, c Paine, b Farnes	....	9	
Carew, c Holmes, b Farnes	....	0	
Headley, not out	....	44	
Jones, c Leyland, b Farnes	....	3	
Senky, c Paine, b Farnes	....	0	
Grant, c Hendren, b Hollies	....	4	
Rolfe-Grant, c Hammond, b Hollies	....	5	
Hilton, at Amos, b Paine	....	15	
Christian, run out	....	9	
Achong, at Amos, b Paine	....	0	
Martindale, c Leyland, b Paine	....	9	
Extras	....	4	
Total	....	102	
Bowling Analysis			
	O	M	R. Wkt.
Farnes	15	4	40
Smith	7	3	8
Hollies	18	4	36
Paine	9	8	14
Extras	....	3	
ENGLAND—1ST. INNS.			
Leyland, b Martindale	....	3	
Hammond, not out	....	42	
Hendren, c Rolfe-Grant, b Martindale	....	3	
Ames, l.b.w. Rolfe-Grant, b Hilton	....	8	
Smith, c Jones, b Hilton	....	0	
Idden, not out	....	14	
Extras	....	2	
(For 5 wickets)	....	81	

PROBE CHARGE OF TREATY BREACH

JAPAN'S ACTIONS IN CHINA QUERIED

ARE MANDATED ISLANDS BEING FORTIFIED?

Washington, Jan. 8.

Senator William King, Democrat, Utah, to-day moved a resolution proposing an investigation by the Senate Foreign Relations Committee to determine whether or not Japan had violated the Kellogg Pact or the Nine Power Treaty by her invasion of Manchuria. These agreements had been made to guarantee the integrity of China, he pointed out.

Furthermore, Senator King demanded investigation by the same Committee of charges that "Japan is fortifying or has fortified" mandated islands in the Pacific.

There have been rumours abroad that Japan would refuse to surrender her mandate in these islands and that she was secretly fortifying them in contravention of all recent agreements.—Reuter.

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Washington, Jan. 8.

Important resolutions were introduced to-day by Senator William H. King, Democrat of Utah, when he first of all asked that the Senate Judiciary Committee to determine whether the N.R.A. encouraged or promoted monopolistic practices and then demanded an inquiry to determine whether Japan's policies in Manchuria violated the Nine Power Pact.

This resolution, respecting Japan's actions in the Far East, had been anticipated. There is a certain section of Congress anxious to clarify America's stand in respect to the integrity of China, and the maintenance of the independence of the republic.

MONOPOLY QUESTION

Senator King had a third resolution ready. This was a request that the Foreign Relations Committee investigate the establishment of the Manchukuo Government and the alleged creation of an oil monopoly in that state.

The fourth resolution is likely to cause the greatest interest abroad. It is that the Foreign Relations Committee be asked to inquire into the charges that Japan is fortifying or has already fortified the islands under her mandate in the Pacific.—United Press.

PARTY POLITICS A MENACE

WOULD MEAN REAL DISRUPTION

London, Jan. 8.

At a Conference of the Federation of University Conservative Associations which opened in Edinburgh to-day, Mr. John Buchan, Member of Parliament for the Scottish Universities, read a message from the Prime Minister, who wrote:

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CAREER OF NOTED PEER

LORD GREENWAY'S WAR WORK

ANGLO-PERSIAN OIL CO. HEAD

Lord Greenway, who died recently at Romsey in his 78th year, did notable work for his country as Chairman of the Anglo-Persian Oil Company during the War.

He had succeeded Lord Strathcona in the Chairmanship of the company shortly before the outbreak of the War. At that time the undertaking had nearly exhausted its capital, and the question had arisen whether it would be forced to sell its concession and plant to one of the foreign syndicates which were anxious to acquire them.

In these circumstances Admiral Lord Fisher, who was President of the Royal Commission which had to advise the Government on oil supplies, privately told Sir Charles Greenway, as he was then, that the Navy must depend upon oil fuel and asked him to continue the work of the Anglo-Persian Company at all costs.

Sir Charles determined that in the interest of the country the independence of the company should be maintained, and it was largely due to the evidence he gave before the Royal Commission that the Government were induced to invest in the company the additional capital that was needed. The result was seen in the huge expansion of the company's work during the War and the invaluable services it was enabled to render to the Royal Navy by providing it with the oil it needed.

Charles Greenway, Lord Greenway, who was created a Baronet in 1919 and a Peer in 1927, was a Somerset man, his father having been John D. Greenway, of Taunton. He went to India in 1885, and for twenty-three years played a prominent part there in commercial and industrial development. Since his return to England he had been engaged in commerce and banking.

He was one of the founders of the Anglo-Persian Oil Company, and had done much for the development and well-being of Persia. In recognition of his services in this connection he was made a Grand Officer of the Persian Order of the Lion and Sun.

WHITE PAPER POLICY

Though he relinquished the Chairmanship of the Anglo-Persian Oil Company in 1927, he had continued till the end, as President to take an active interest in its work. He was a convinced opponent of the White Paper policy of the Government. In 1930, when it was suggested that a maximum measure of self-government might be conceded to India in return for a permanent preference for British goods, he described the suggestion as one that would not appeal to anyone having the slightest regard for the welfare of India.

"If we were to abandon our high mission in India simply for this pecuniary gain," he said, "we should lose, and deserve to lose, not only the gain sought, but the respect both of India and of the world at large."

Lord Greenway's many activities included those associated with the Chairmanship of the Asthma Research Council, in whose work he took the keenest interest.

Lord Greenway married in 1888 Mabel, daughter of Augustine E. Tower, and leaves a son and two daughters. The successor to the barony is his son, the Hon. Charles K. Greenway, who was born in 1888, and was formerly a captain in the 26th K.G.O. Light Cavalry.

There will be a deep sense of loss among Lord Greenway's old friends in India, his colleagues in the Anglo-Persian Oil Company, and many friends at Romsey. He was an outstanding and most picturesque figure. His long connection with India, his love of sport of every kind, and his hospitality, so lavishly and so kindly proffered, had made

him a host of friends. His patriotism was of the best sort, based on a fervent desire to help his fellow-countrymen at every opportunity which offered. He was the most generous of men and seldom let slip a chance of doing kindness.

His knowledge of India was profound. As a keen young sportsman he travelled through the byways of India and thus acquired a profound knowledge of the country and the Indian peasants. He had a clear memory of his adventures and experiences there, and told a story with delightful effect.

He was strongly opposed to the White Paper policy and intended taking part in a recent debate in the House of Lords.

His house at Stanbridge Earls was a constant rendezvous for his old friends, whom he and Lady Greenway delighted to entertain. Among the treasures of his cellar was a collection of very old whiskey, which he had gathered together from all kinds of odd places.

His loss will be felt by a very large circle, for he possessed in a quite remarkable way the genius for making friends.

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COOKERY NOTES



FILMLAND NEWS

Only Six Silent Cinemas Left in Britain

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There are now only six silent houses left in the British Isles.

According to statistics, compiled as at October 1, there are now 4,879 cinema theatres in the British Isles.

The following figures show the position of sound, closed, and silent houses.

	Sound	Closed	Silent
England	3630	105	5
Scotland	600	69	1
Wales	347	46	0
Ireland	231	68	0

FLORA ROBSON AS QUEEN ELIZABETH

Flora Robson will play Queen Elizabeth in a forthcoming London Film production to be produced by Alexander Korda. The film will contain such famous characters as Mary Queen of Scots, Philip of Spain, Admiral Drake, and Sir Walter Raleigh, and will deal with the great period in English history embracing the reign of Elizabeth.

It will be a straightforward historical film with highly dramatic qualities, and be the second London Film in which Flora Robson has appeared. She was the Empress Elizabeth in "Catherine the Great."

Miss Robson will also play in the film version of "Mary Read" (the woman pirate.)

GARBO'S NEW CONTRACT

Following on the completion of her latest picture, "Somerset Maugham's "The Painted Veil," Greta Garbo has just signed a new contract with the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studios.

"The Painted Veil" was her final production under the existing contract, and it had been freely stated that when this contract was completed she might go back to Sweden to enjoy a life of leisure.

Garbo is now entering her tenth year as a screen star. She has appeared in nineteen starring roles, and twenty pictures.

LYN HARDING JOINS BERGNER FILM

Lyn Harding, the London actor, has joined the cast of "Escape Me Never," British and Dominions now

production starring Elizabeth Bergner. He plays the part of Heinrich, the old conductor.

He has had a long and picturesque career on the stage, making his first appearance at Bristol as far back as 1890. As a young man he toured the Far East. In America he has not only played on the stage but in films. He also appeared in the British and Dominions talkie, "The Speckled Band."

JOHN BOLES AGAIN

John Boles is back in Hollywood after a vacation in New York, and will soon start work on a musical production, "Redheads on Parade."

After the completion of this picture he will play the leading role in "Hawk of the Desert."

STANLEY HOLLOWAY FILM

Stanley Holloway, the radio and stage comedian and former Co-optimist, is signed for three films by a new company, City Films, which is first making "Barnacle Bill" at the Cricklewood studios, with Archie Pitt, Gracie Field's husband, in the leading role.

SEYMOUR HICKS' 63 COLLEAGUES

Seymour Hicks, who has the starring role in "Mr. What's His Name," the current Warner Bros. First National production, is supported by no fewer than 63 artists, everyone of whom has a definite speaking role.

The cast includes Olive Blakely, Garry Marsh, and Enid Stump-Taylor in the principal roles, while Bomberdier Wells and Gunner Moir, two ex-heavy-

players. (Continued on Previous Column.)

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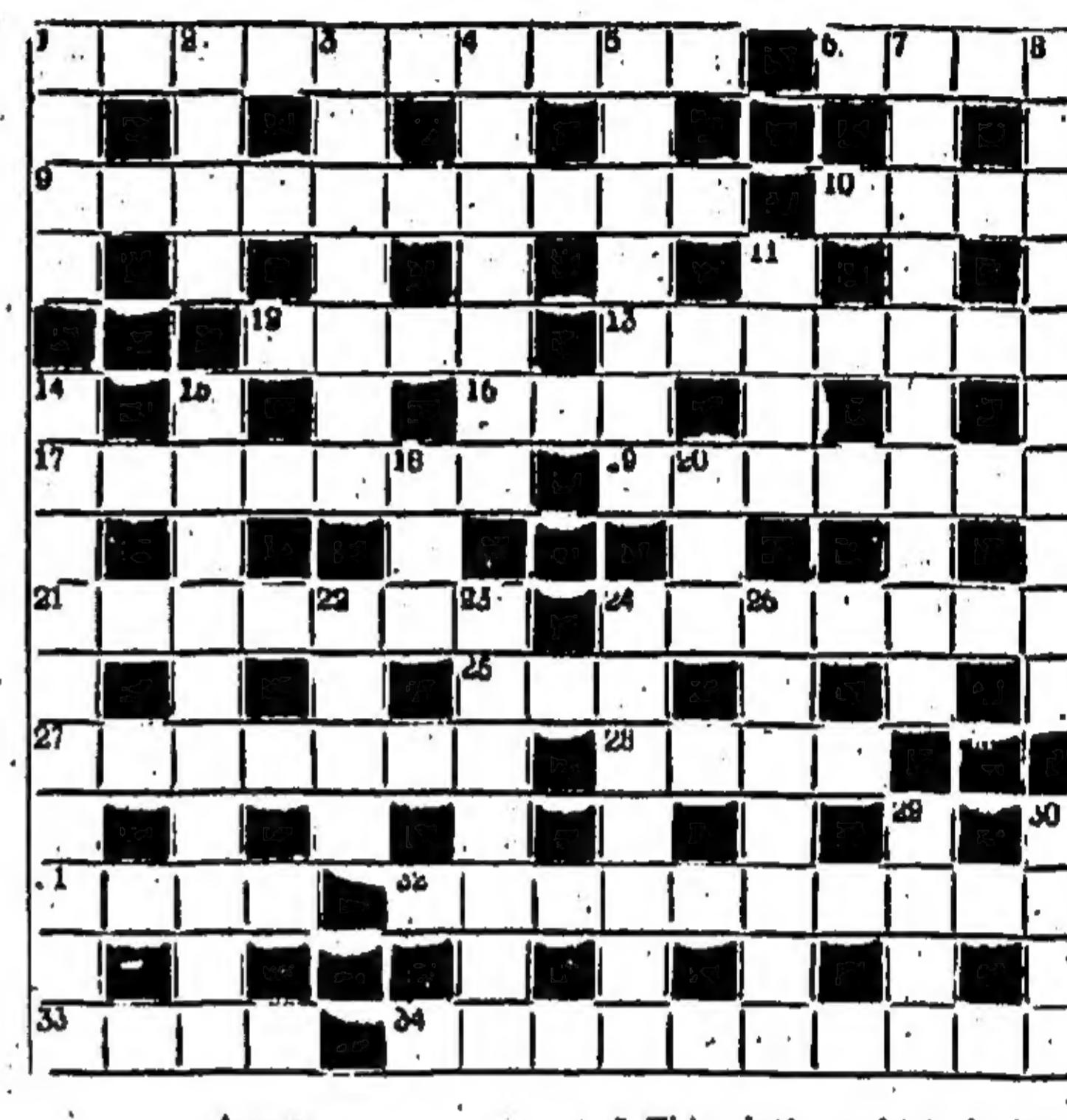
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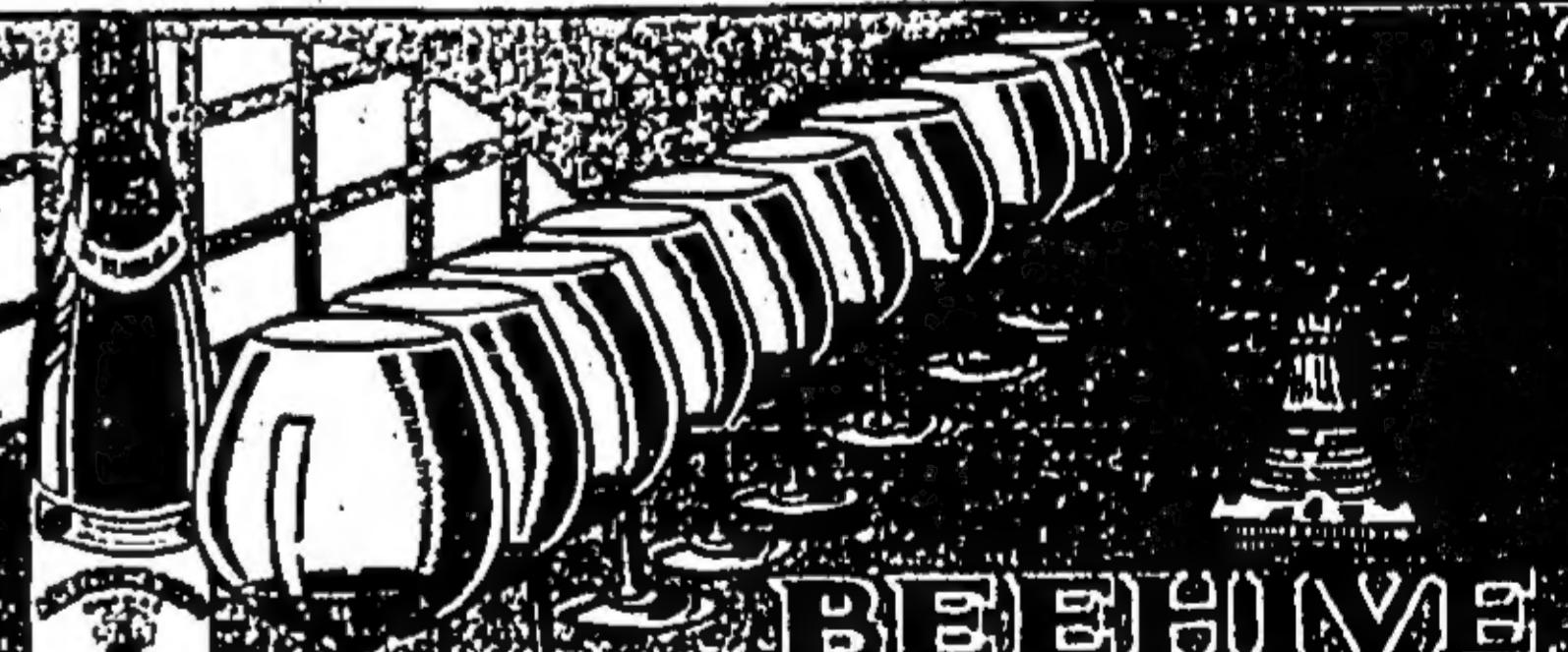
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1. A roué's hope is mixed up in this building (hyphen).
2. Proverbially dull (two words).
3. Give the wrong way.
4. One side of an "Alice" battle.
5. In its place (anag.).
6. The song of the prairie.
7. A sailor wants nothing in this Finnish pastime.
8. Simple, no doubt, and somewhat accommodating.
9. Seven times a week.
10. For example, a nun.
11. Reclaim (anagram).
12. Bitter sweet.
13. Be this yourself and get a move on.
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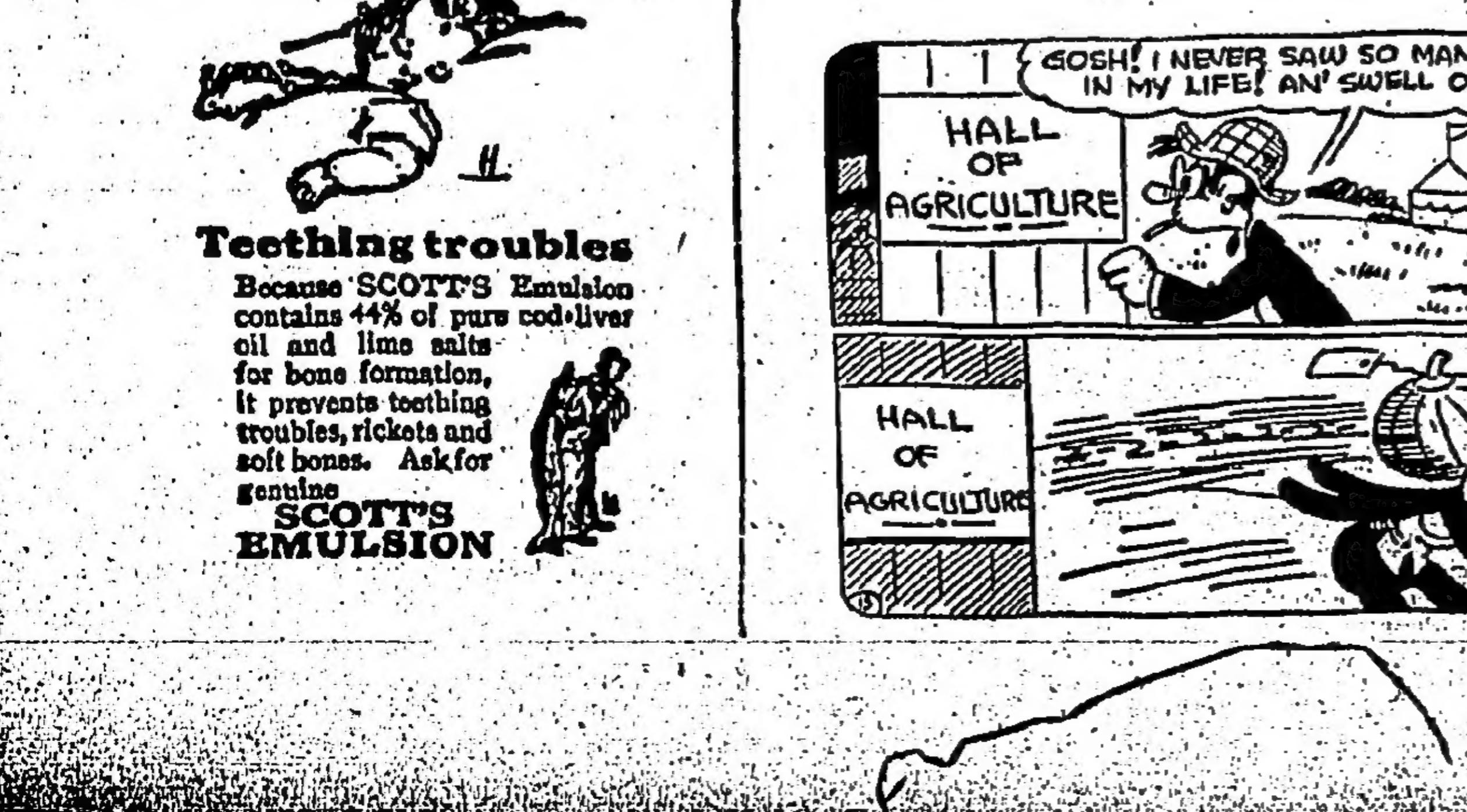
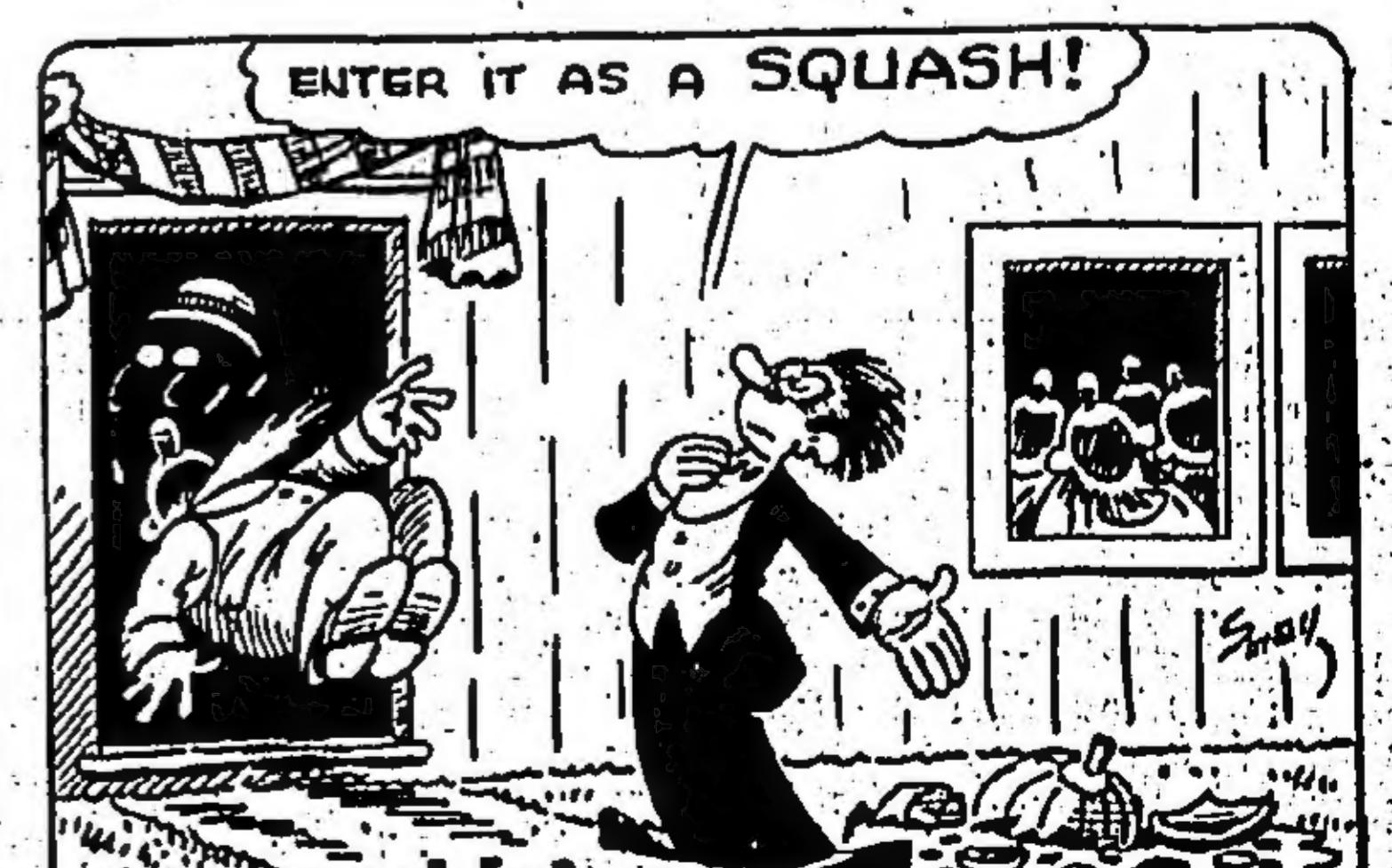
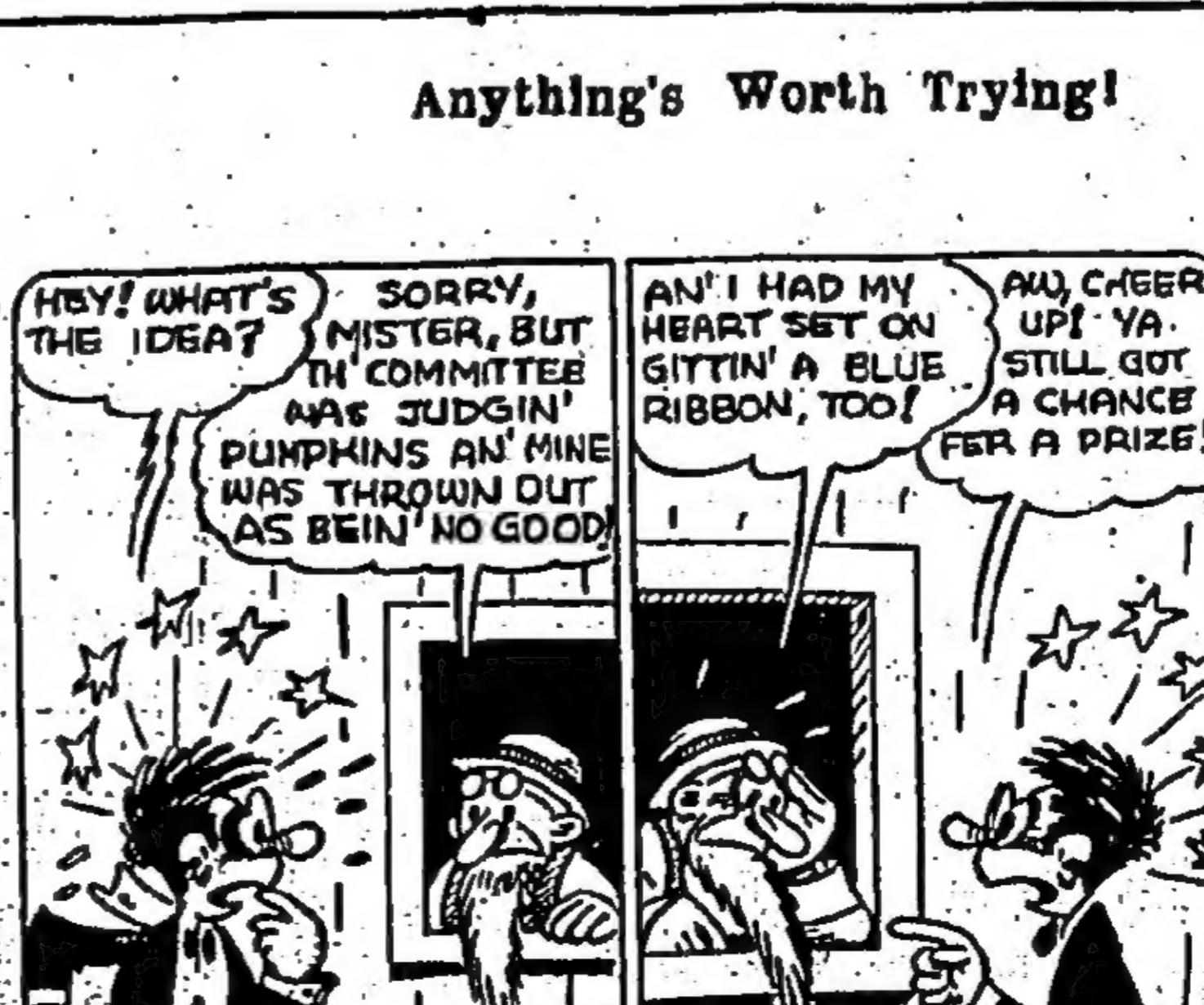
Down
1. Head turned in Rome.
2. Hidden in "He appeared in the arena, and, with one or two deaf strokes, severed it."
3. What I generally want after a cup of tea.
4. My dictionary says: "Small arboreal or aquatic nocturnal marsupial mammal."



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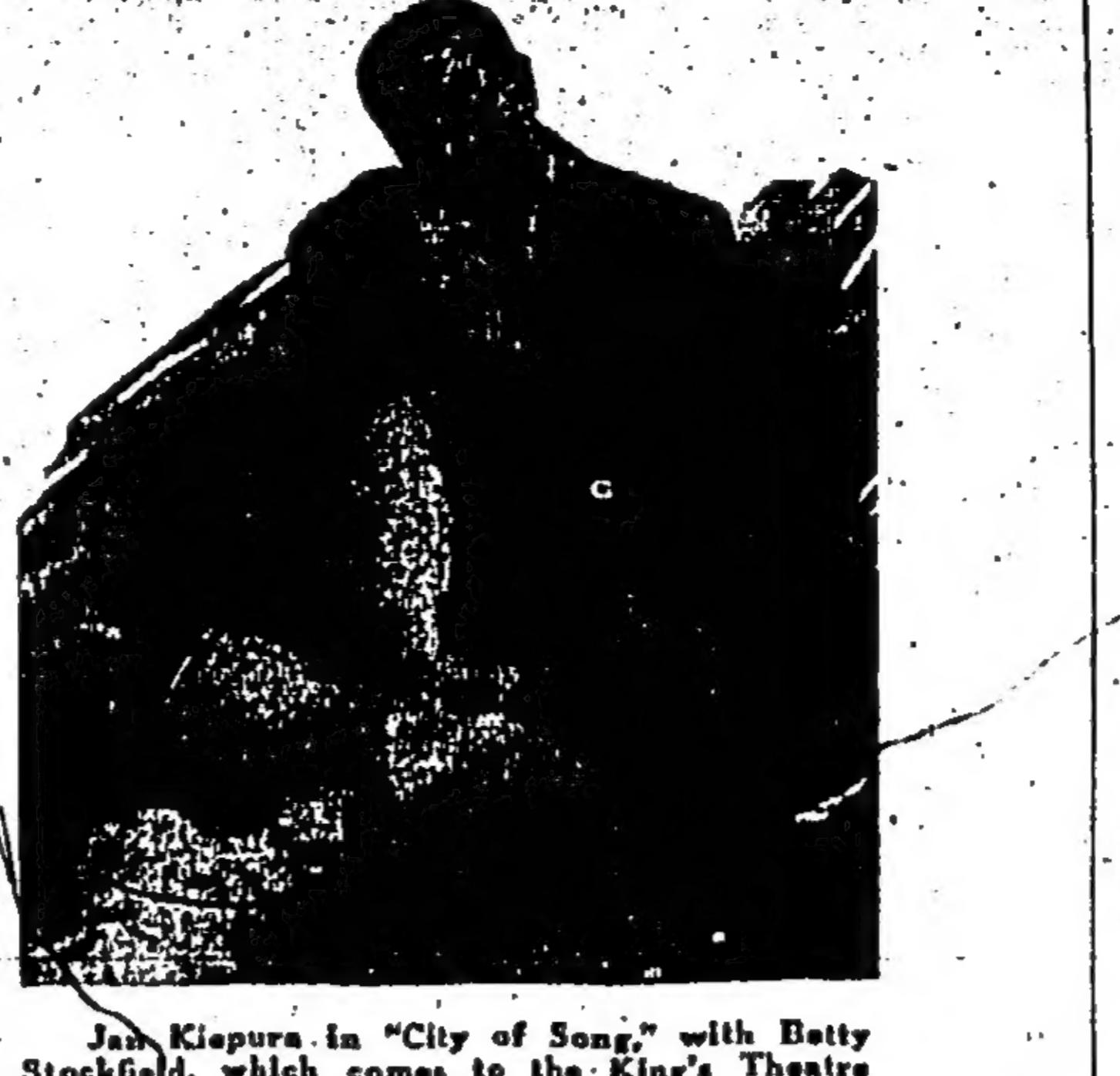
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SECRET TERMS OF TANGKU TRUCE

(Continued from Page 6.)

tives of the two ministries lend colour to the expectation that a direct arrangement will eventually be made.

With the completion of agreements on the through-traffic, customs and postal questions, the first group of "demands" arising out of the Tangku Armistice can be regarded as settled. With the exception of the customs service, they have merely served to restore conditions to the situation obtaining before the Sino-Japanese hostilities.

From this point the negotiations in North China enter a new phase, one which presages the rapid expansion of Japanese commercial interests in North China. Chinese assert that with the negotiations which have followed the signing of the Armistice, and particularly with regard to those apparently being instituted now, Japan is carrying out the "second step" of her continental policy. The scope of this "second step" is impossible to ascertain. Perhaps the best appraisal is that of a usually well-informed Chinese writer who states that "the Japanese have presented or would present" a series of six "demands." Three of them deal with the problems already discussed—railway traffic, customs and posts. The others are:

- Right to open Manchukuo-North China air services.
- Right to invest capital (presumably on an exclusive basis) in several proposed new railways in North China, principally in Hopei and Shantung. One of these is the Tsinan-Shanteh Railway mentioned in the original Twenty-One Demands.
- Right to invest capital in North China industries, chiefly

mines, the cotton and woolen industries, and the establishment of a currency organ in North China.

Unofficial Japanese and Chinese circles agree that the first of these has already been granted, and that an extension of the Tokyo-Mukden air line will shortly be made to Peking, and even down into Shantung. This being so, and in view of the reluctance with which Japan gave up her "Twenty-One Demands" and the favourable position in which she now finds herself, it is reasonable to suppose that the Japanese entertain hopes of being able to secure at least the other rights demanded.

Negotiations on the three questions already settled have been conducted in utmost secrecy, details being reluctantly published only a day or two before actual putting into effect of the agreements. Discussions of the "demands" still pending will be even more carefully

guarded and denied by both sides. This is understandable, for from the Chinese point of view any negotiations at all are anathema. From the Japanese standpoint it is also as well that not too much publicity be brought to bear on the discussions. Japanese ambitions in China received one serious setback when the "Twenty-One Demands" were brought to light and published abroad. And although Japan has less reason to fear adverse foreign opinion now than then, the lesson learned has not been forgotten.—United Press.

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Shanghai and Swatow	Kingyuan	January 10.
Europe via Suez (Letters & Papers)		
London, 13th December and London—		
Paris—London, 6th December—		
and Air Mail ex Amsterdam—		
Bandoeng Service (Amsterdam, 26th December)	Rawalpindi	January 10.
Shanghai and Swatow	Shantung	January 10.
Calcutta and Straits	Sidhwan	January 10.
Japan and Shanghai	Taiyo Maru	January 10.
Japan and Shanghai	Tango Maru	January 10.
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Japan and Shanghai	Pres. McKinley	January 11.
Japan	Ranchi	January 11.
Saigon	Durban Maru	January 13.
Straits	Jean Laborde	January 13.
Japan	Lyon Maru	January 14.
Manila	Bengal Maru	January 14.
Shanghai	Antenor	January 15.
	Felix Rousset	January 15.

OUTWARD MAIRS.

For	Per	Date and Time
	Wednesday,	
Straits and Calcutta	Kutang	Wed. Jan. 9. 2 p.m.
Parcels	Letters	Jan. 9, 2 p.m.
Swatow	Solstam	Wed. Jan. 9, 3 p.m.
Foochow	Hoihow	Wed. Jan. 9, 3.30 p.m.
Foochow via Swatow	Hoppong	Wed. Jan. 9, 5 p.m.
Hoihow and Tourane	Tchekam	Wed. Jan. 9, 5 p.m.
	Thursday,	
Amoy and Formosa via Swatow	Doll Maru	Thurs. Jan. 10, 8.30 a.m.
Straits	Van Heutz Thrus.	Jan. 10, 9.30 a.m.
Amoy	Tjinegara	Thurs. Jan. 10, 10.30 a.m.
Foochow via Swatow	Yunnan	Thurs. Jan. 10, 12.30 p.m.
Swatow	Hydrangea	Thurs. Jan. 10, 2 p.m.
Amoy	Tai Yuan	Thurs. Jan. 10, 6 p.m.
	Friday,	
Letters for "Bandong—Amsterdam Ranchi"		Sat. Jan. 12.
	K. P. O.	
Reg. Jan. 11, 4.30 p.m.	Reg. Jan. 12, 9 a.m.	
Letters Jan. 11, 5 p.m.	Letters Jan. 12, 9.30 a.m.	
Amoy	Tjainroo	Sat. Jan. 12, 10 a.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. Ranchi	E. Ranchi	Sat. Jan. 12, 1 p.m.
and S. Africa, Aden, Egypt and		
Europe via Marseilles, (Due Marseilles, 8th February).		
	K.P.O.	
Parcels, Jan. 11, 4.30 p.m.	Parcels, Jan. 11, 5 p.m.	
Reg. Jan. 12, 9 a.m.	Reg. Jan. 12, 9.45 a.m.	
Letters, Jan. 12, 10 a.m.	Letters, Jan. 12, 10.30 a.m.	
Hoihow, Pakhol and Haiphong	Kingyuan	Sat. Jan. 12, 1 p.m.
Manila	Pres. McKinley	Sat. Jan. 12, 4.30 p.m.
Foochow	Hupen	Sat. Jan. 12, 5 p.m.
Shanghai and Japan	Jean Laborde	Sat. Jan. 12, 5 p.m.
	Sunday,	
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Canton Maru	Sun. Jan. 13, 9 a.m.
Bangkok via Swatow	Kalgan	Sun. Jan. 13, 9 a.m.
	Tuesday,	
Letters for "Saigon—Marseilles Air Felix Rousset"	Tues. Jan. 15.	
	K. P. O.	
Reg. Jan. 15, 9.30 a.m.	Reg. Jan. 15, 10 a.m.	
Letters, Jan. 15, 9.30 a.m.	Letters, Jan. 15, 10.30 a.m.	
Saigon, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, Felix Rousset	Felix Rousset	Tues. Jan. 15,
East and South Africa, Egypt and		
Europe via Marseilles (Duo Marseilles, 11th February)		
	K. P. O.	
Reg. Jan. 15, 10 a.m.	Reg. Jan. 15, 10.45 a.m.	
Letters, Jan. 15, 11 a.m.	Letters, Jan. 15, 11.30 a.m.	
Fort Bayard, Hoihow, Pakhol and G. G. Paul Dourier		
*Haiphong		
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CINEMA NEWS

NOTES FROM THE THEATRES

Comedy, drama and music—offered by the largest collection of stars of the stage, screen and radio—feature the most unusual entertainment to come in many months. The production, opening to-morrow at the Queen's Theatre, is Universal's "Gift of Gab". The story of "Gift of Gab" concerns itself with the rise of an auctioneer, Edmund Lowe, to the foremost Broadway manager and reported in America. Lowe and his wife, Stuart, blonde and more beautiful than ever, furnish plenty of the thrills of the picture. Comedy elements are supplied by a large assortment of stooges, Phil Baker, Victor Moore, proprietor of "Triver's Livers" sponsoring the broadcast; Alice White, Hugh O'Connell, Douglas Fowley, Henry Armetta, Helen Vinson, and Sterling Holloway. Music is given to the audience of Ruth Etting, Ethel Waters, Gene Austin, the Beale Street Boys, the Downey Slaters, and Guy Arnheim and his band. Satire is presented during a radio broadcast by a mock murder mystery in which Hela Lugosi, Karloff, June Knight, Chester Morris, Douglas Montgomery and Paul Lukas display their talents. The conglomeration of this production is tuneful, punchy, rollicking and at times insane, but entertainment it offered at all times. If you want to see a great collection of players at their best make up your mind not to miss the "Gift of Gab".

"Student Tour". Mirth, melody and pulchritude are delightfully blended in "Student Tour", sparkling musical comedy production of Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer now showing at the Queen's Theatre. This new picture strikes a new note in musical entertainment. Features Jimmy Durante, Charles Butterworth, Maxine Doyle, Phil Regan, it also has a cast that includes some of the liveliest college girls in America, most of them appearing on the screen for the first time. Musical hits include the "Carlo", sensational new ballroom dance that is sweeping the world. Other song hits are "From Now On", "A New Moon is Over My Shoulder" and others. Besides the music, the picture features riotous comedy provided by Durante and Butterworth; and a group of those lovely co-eds. Phil Regan, professor of a lilting tenor voice, and Maxine Doyle play the romantic leads and the story concerns a group of college boys and girls on a round-the-world cruise with Durante as their Athletic

trainer and Butterworth their professor.

"A Dangerous Affair".

One of the most entertaining mystery films of the year is "A Dangerous Affair," the Columbia film that opens to-day at the Alhambra Theatre. Jack Holt and Ralph Graves, who co-starred, will delight screen fans with their spirited performances in a film that is ideally suited to them. They work together like a charm. The story deals with the adventures of Wally Cook, a New York newspaper reporter, who gets himself assigned to a sleepy Long Island town so that he can be near his old friend Lieutenant McHenry of the local police force. The town is so dead that Wally decides to start a little excitement. He steals a necklace belonging to Marjory Randolph; he loses the Randolph millions. He plans to return it to her the next day with a story of what a desperate struggle he had recovering it from some villainous gunmen, but it is stolen from him before he can effect his plan—and then he has a real mystery to solve! The theft of this necklace starts things in the dull Long Island town. Following the reading of the Randolph will the family lawyer is found murdered. McHenry and Wally, in attempting to trap the murderer, call at the Randolph mansion in the dead of night and find the body of the village jeweller with a knife in his back. Who committed these crimes and what connection did the necklace have with it all? The manner in which Holt and Graves solve the mystery is both amusing and clever.

The cast is excellent throughout and the direction well planned. The photograph of scenes in the haunted house, here a good deal of the action transpires, is excellent. Those in the supporting cast, who contribute commendable performances are Sally Blane, who plays the role of Marjory Randolph in an appealing manner, Susan Fleming, Blanche Frederick, Sidney Bracey, Tyler Brooke and William Monk.

"Little Women".

Paul Lukas, the star with the old world manners and slight accent, was a natural choice for the lovable German professor, Fritz Baer, in "Little Women" showing at the Oriental Theatre on Wednesday and Thursday. Lukas, known for his roles in "Illusion", "Rocknub", "Slightly Scarlet", "Unfaithful", "City Streets" and "Women Love Once", finally wins the heart of Jo, the ambitious tomboy of the age-old favourite novel. In addition to Katherine Hepburn, the star, who plays Jo, and Lukas the cast includes Frances Dee, Jean Parker, Edna May Oliver, Douglas Montgomery, Henry

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"Once in a Lifetime".

It's no good as a stage play. In some ways better, Much has been made of "Once in a Lifetime" in the screen version. Jack Oakie, Sidney Fox, Aline MacMahon, Russell Hopton, Louise Fazenda, Gregory Ratoff, ZaSu Pitts and Onslow Stevens, principally featured all gather honours. The comedy of the film is abundant. The picture version was directed by Russell Mack, who is now directing "All America", the football feature which Universal is making. Verily, it is good! The top performances in the picture—at least those which stand out most vividly—are given by Jack Oakie, as the nutcracking "Supervisor," Gregory Ratoff, as the producer Glogauer, Onslow Stevens, as the scenario writer and Aline MacMahon, Miss Fox, as the weeping dumb-witted little girl who breaks into the movie, has the trickiest role to play, and does it well. The picture is a pretty faithful following of the stage play, with such embellishments as are fitting. There is a sort of prologue to the main action, which shows the three characters played by Oakie, Miss MacMahon and Hopton during their vaudeville. It establishes how they get the idea of going to California.

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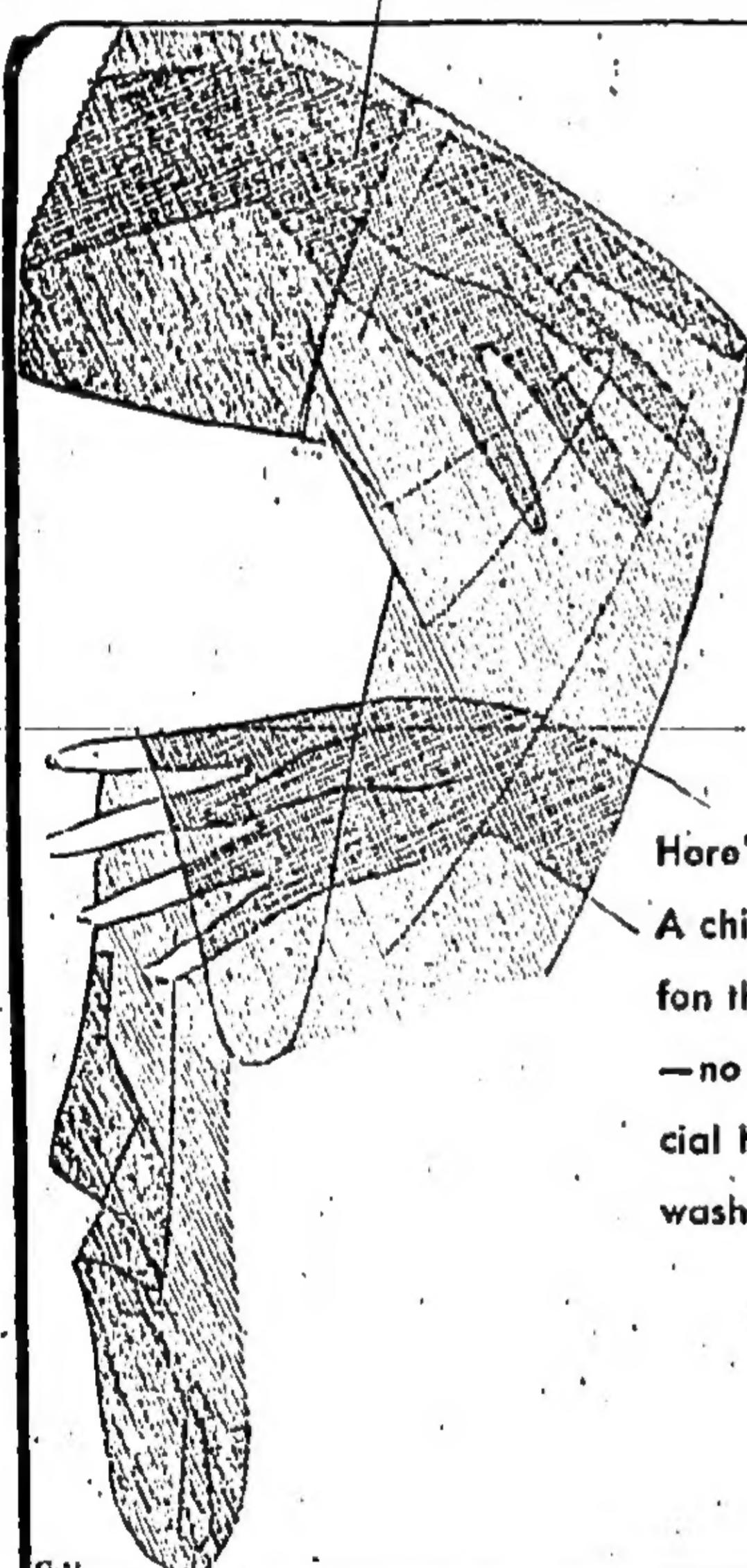
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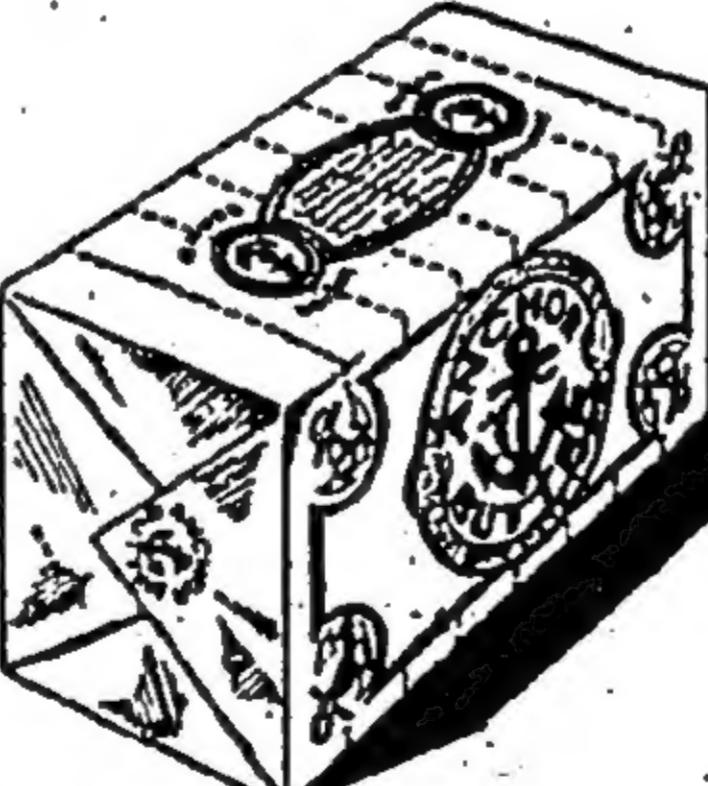
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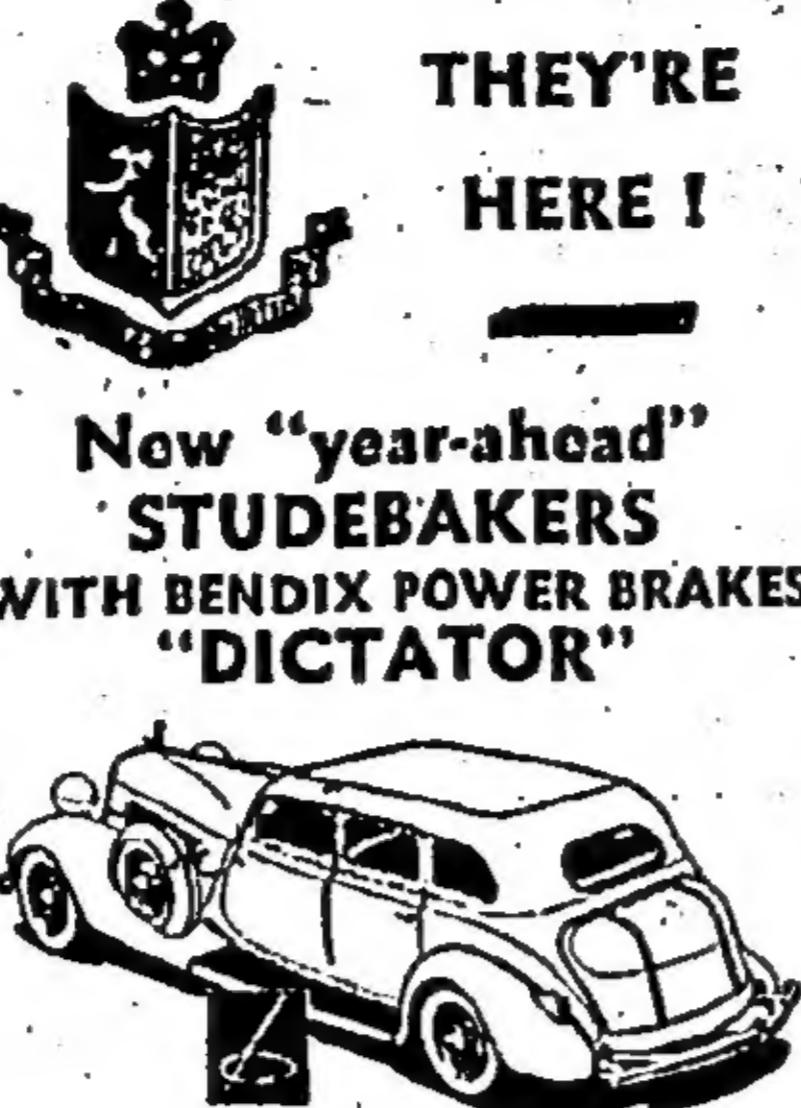
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**ADVERTISING
HONGKONG**

The question of the more adequate advertising of Hongkong as a tourists' or travellers' resort, which has periodically arisen in recent times, is taken a step further to-day by the suggestion made by a contributor that the time has come for some definite action to be taken in the matter. It is urged, with considerable cogency, that this Colony should follow the example of other centres by instituting a Tourist Commission or Travel Association, whose duty it would be to explore all avenues in endeavours to attract visitors to the Colony. Obviously if Hongkong is to take this matter up at all seriously, there must be brought into being some organisation comparable to those which function with such success in other parts of the world. In particular, there should be a steady flow of attractively-designed descriptive literature. We have to look no further than Japan to see what can be done in this direction. Admittedly, Hongkong cannot be compared in size with that country, but, none the less, it does possess, within smaller limits, practically all the attractions which Japan has to offer. Its scenic beauty and variety of interests are invariably the subject of admiration on the part of visitors to our shores, but its claims to recognition are left largely to the good opinions passed on by such visitors, coupled with a limited measure of advertising by shipping and other concerns. The point is that no really big organised effort is made to secure for the Colony the benefits which it ought to enjoy from its undoubted assets. Hence the necessity of the establishment of a representative body charged with such work. The matter was raised during the recent Budget debate, but the Government appeared to be indisposed to embark on anything in the nature of an official organisation, due to the cost involved. At the same time, it was intimated that the authorities would be prepared to consider any scheme which responsible bodies might put forward. The presumption is that if definite steps were taken in the direction of the creation of a Tourist Bureau, the Government, whilst not prepared to undertake the venture itself, would be willing to give it some measure of financial support. With this point in mind, it now behoves shipping and hotel companies, and others

NOTES OF THE DAY**DOMINION'S EXPEDIMENT**

The purpose designed to be served by the creation of a Central Bank in Canada is that it will contribute, directly and indirectly, to the national economic welfare. Mr. E. N. Rhodes, the Minister of Finance, has had a brochure prepared, giving a conception of the purposes which the Central Bank will serve. The function of the currency is to belong to the Central Bank once it is in being. The explanation is that unification of the note issue will make possible a better adjustment between the supply of currency and the business demands for it. Moreover, the hope is that it will mean greater elasticity in the currency system, while still maintaining the integrity of the monetary standard. It is proposed to transfer to the Central Bank the gold now held by the Department of Finance and by the chartered banks. That gold will be held as reserve against the legal tender notes and the deposit liabilities of the Bank of Canada, and indirectly of the whole banking system. In other words, the total stocks of gold in the country will be concentrated under a single authority, which will be charged with the responsibility of seeing that Canada's monetary reserves are adequate.

WEIGHTY TASK

The greatest task which the Central Bank will essay is to attempt, "so far as may be possible within the scope of monetary action," to mitigate fluctuations in the general level of employment, prices and business activity. That might indicate that it might have powers that would act as a check in the case of periods of depression, and, alternately, of prosperity. That could hardly be so, for nowhere have central banks made any difference of a striking character in the matter of economic trends. However, a Central Bank can formulate a deliberate and informed credit policy which could be made to act as a brake in times of undue optimism and offer something in the nature of stimulus and of financial assistance in times of depression. The Central Bank is to have certain powers to protect the value of the Canadian dollar in the foreign exchange market. Canada, says the brochure prepared for the Minister of Finance, is particularly interested in the international value of her currency because of her relatively large volume of external trade and foreign indebtedness. The Central Bank is expected to act as a stabilizing force, as a central institution which can co-operate on behalf of the country as a whole with other nations for any stabilization of currency. The Central Bank is to act as the fiscal agent of the Federal Government. It can fulfill the same role for provincial governments. It can develop a short-term money market in the Dominion. This would be to give assistance in developing more economical short-term financial operations for the governments of the country. Mr. Rhodes believes there is an obvious need in the Dominion for somebody who will give expert and disinterested advice, particularly to provincial governments, regarding the domestic as well as the foreign market for bonds, as well as offering facilities for some possible coordination of external borrowing operations. The Central Bank is expected to perform a useful service in this particular.

PRINCE'S TRIBUTE

Most great men of history have suffered at the hands of critics, contemporary and otherwise. The late Field Marshal Earl Haig was one of them. Among the most prominent of his post-War envoys is Mr. David Lloyd George who has condemned the strategy of Earl Haig in the Passchendaele offensive. But among the most ardent of the defenders of the memory of this soldier is one of Britain's Princes, the Duke of Kent. He says: "This great soldier, Marshal Haig, in life received and kept the unwavering loyalty of his men. In death his name is held in high regard, owing to his self-sacrifice and untiring work on behalf of the disabled soldier, the widow, and the orphan child. In life he practised the ideals he inspired and embodied in the Legion's constitution. These are: A sense of loyalty to state and nation, the promotion of unity among all classes and a consecration of comradeship by devotion to mutual service and helpfulness."

interested, to get together and endeavour to work out some concrete plan. With the probability that Hongkong will in the near future enjoy contact with outside aerial services, the desirability of advertising its attractions to travellers becomes more than ever necessary. We commend the matter to the serious attention of all interests who are likely to benefit therefrom, feeling assured that a rich harvest can be reaped, provided the seed is liberally sown.

**SECRET TERMS OF
TANGKU TRUCE****(SPECIAL TO "TELEGRAPH")**

This is the third of a series of four articles reviewing and analysing events in the developments Japan's advance into North China, with emphasis on present trends. This deals with the so-called "secret terms" of the Tangku Armistice and Japan's commercial ambitions in North China.

Peking.

It is safe to say that no one not privy to the discussions at Tangku will ever know exactly what constituted the supplementary, unpublished agreements arrived at by the delegates who arranged the Armistice. By now, however, the ingenious nature of these agreements has become apparent.

There were, it appears, no "secret terms" in the exact sense of the words. Rather, it seems certain that the delegates agreed that future negotiations must take place concerning certain important problems. Although left unsaid, it was obvious that such agreements presaged settlements satisfactory to the director of the terms of the truce—Japan.

The world, even China, anticipated that an agreement permitting the cessation of hostilities would be reached. But if Japan had taken advantage of the opportunity to press openly for complete settlement of outstanding issues at the time, she would undoubtedly have over-played her hand, with perhaps the same unsatisfactory results as when she presented her famous Twenty-One Demands in 1915. By simply ensuring future negotiations on the questions, Japan thus was left free to press for satisfactory solutions at opportune moments, in quiet and unobtrusive fashion.

The past eighteen months have witnessed the first fruits of this policy, and have to some extent revealed which problems were included in the quasi-agreements.

The first of these was of immediate importance, the restoration of through-traffic between Mukden and Peking. Traffic on the British-built Peking-Mukden Railway was interrupted during the Japanese conquest of Manchuria. The conqueror, and Shanhaikwan, second of the Great Wall, in their hands, the Japanese proceeded to open traffic on the northern half of the line. Actual operation was in charge of the Japanese South Manchuria Railway. When not prevented by bandit actions in the Demilitarized Zone, the Chinese Government operated trains over the southern half as far as Shanhaikwan.

Following secret negotiations over several months, through-traffic was finally restored, on July 1, 1934. All through-traffic arrangements, sale of tickets and the like, were taken over by a joint Sino-Japanese concern formed by the Japan Tourist Bureau and the China Travel Service. Significantly, the details of the arrangements permitted South Manchuria Railway trains to operate directly into Peking, as half the trains used are contributed by the Japanese, half by the Chinese. That the Japanese sent the very best available rolling stock in these trains is an amusing side-light on the Japanese propaganda-advertising programme. Foreigners in China comment most favourably upon these trains.

The second problem tackled was the establishment of Chinese Government customs stations at various passes along the Great Wall. Once the Chinese found a way of

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A gigantic companion statue of Karl ("Duck Soup") Marx, chromiminated trousers and all, with the original whiskers, was rejected because of the showers of birdseed which fell every time people tried to get chocolate out of it.

Dumb Friends' Corner

The Bill to be promoted in Parliament shortly to preserve the South Downs will include the provision of a bird sanctuary for female novelists and a sort of Sussex Whipsnade for the male kind.

Cocking their long furry ears, glancing sideways from their big, bright, frightened, liquid eyes, the little homely creatures will scurry to and fro unharmed by trap, gun, gin—except what they pay for club, half-brick, prodding iron, or kick in the trousers.

They bred enormously after Mrs. Effort introduced them in 1891. Now they are almost extinct, more's the pity.

The Social Round

Soon we shall all be packing our rifles and departing for the moors (wrote our London Correspondent some months ago; the airmail letter is just to hand). But London is enjoying a final burst of frolic in the emptiness of August descends on her. There have been so many dances and cocktail parties, this last week, that one has not known which way to turn.

Over thirty hostesses gave dinners for "Ferret" Floon's coming-out dance. "Ferret" (her real name is Jaquita) is not one of our prettier "debs," but she has simply oodles of "the ready" and is learning the bassoon. Her mother, of course, was a bus-conductor in the war. "That girl had much," old Ballyhoo told me, grinning.

In Pall Mall I ran into Lord Fool, bronzed like some oriental statue. "Just back from the Levant!" I asked. Fool laughed heartily. "Not a bit," he said. "Haven't been out of town. I'm advertising Amber-tone, the new vitamin skinwash. In bottles, 1s. 3d. and 3s. 6d. I advise you to take the larger size. It does one good to see an aristocrat like Fool "puckling to" and earning his living. He was at maturities, of course.

Another of the "world's workers" is Gazelle Spanner, who is travelling in the new invisible stockings. They are so invisible that you literally might just as well not wear them; and, indeed, most girls don't. Gazelle has developed a powerful line of sales talk and when "on the job" is quite unbearable. Her mother is a prominent flag-day worker and has a useful collection of stuffed buffaloes.



"Why don't you go right to the mayor and tell him how the other cops are always kidding you?"

TOURIST TRADE'S VALUE

LOCAL BODY NEEDED

TO ENCOURAGE BUSINESS

By A. Eddy

Travel developments having important possibilities in the future of Hongkong make it expedient for this Colony to organise an official body in order to obtain the fullest possible benefits from the steady stream of gold now passing between the fingers of Hongkong business in the form of tourist traffic. Up to the present time little has been done to retain at least part of this floating wealth for the benefit of Hongkong and the main objective of a Tourist Commission or Travel Association would be to evolve some ways and means whereby to secure from this valuable stream more substantial deposits than we have been getting up to now.

In the beginning of the large scale tourist movement which commenced shortly after the War and reached its height in 1929, when the combined tourist expenditure of the world exceeded the twelve hundred million gold dollar mark, little discrimination was exercised on the part of travellers in making up their itinerary which invariably included France popularised by the returned British and American soldiers and then the greatest beneficiary of the tourist business. Fifteen years of travel experience, and an extensive advertising campaign instituted by the other European countries, North Africa, the West Indies and Japan, however, have taught the tourists to choose their travel itinerary more carefully with the result that to-day many more countries are getting a share of the golden shower left in the wake of visiting tourists than before.

EUROPE'S EXAMPLE

How fully Europe realises the importance of the tourist traffic can be gauged from the efforts that are now being made by almost all European governments and communities to attract travellers to their shores. There is hardly a place of historic or artistic importance or natural beauty in Europe, which does not possess descriptive literature designed to catch the eye of the travelling public for the purpose of deciding them to visit that particular locality. Most of this work is done by travel associations or tourist commissions under the auspices of the different governments and with the co-operation of the railways and other transportation companies of the country.

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BRITISH BANKS PROSPERING

"BIG FIVE" REPORT MORE EARNINGS

London, Jan. 8. The last of the big British banks announced their results to-day. All of the "Big Five" show increased earnings for 1934, and dividends are in every case maintained.

Of the three banks whose balance sheets are published to-day, the Westminster declared 18 per cent. dividend, the Midland 16 per cent., and the National Provincial 16 per cent.

On the Stock Exchange, bank shares closed firm following these announcements.—*British Wireless*.

ainment in co-operation with the local Medical Association for a post convention trip to Hongkong; or in case of a Police Convention in Singapore, for instance, the local Police Department would be requested to offer suggestions which would be submitted to the prospective visitors, and so on. Hongkong, geographically and climatically admirably suited for convention purposes and possessing ample hotel facilities, could herself propose such gatherings for different industries, hotel men or transportation companies operating in the Far East in order to establish a close co-operation among members of the same business.

Educational institutions and clubs in North China, Malaya, Canton and the Philippines could be invited to organise excursions to Hongkong throughout the year. Large tourist parties passing through this port and organisers of such parties could be approached before finally deciding on their itinerary, to stop over in Hongkong for a few days or so by describing the manifold attractions of this Colony and by presenting them detailed and alternative programmes of sight-seeing and cost per head in different classes of hotels. Many of these invitations, of course, would not bring results, but many would, and a great many efforts which may seem wasted to-day would materialise in future times.

LOCAL ATTRACTIONS

The contention that Hongkong has nothing to offer to visitors is amply contradicted by the increasing number of experienced tour conductors who are now beginning to make Hongkong their headquarters during their visit to South China. To many of us a trip around the Island or New Territories may not be fascinating any more for obvious reasons, but this does not apply to the visitor from overseas or even from North China, Philippines or Malaya. Many of us think that the trip to Canton is a nuisance, but it has a great fascination for most foreign visitors.

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NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

MARKET IRREGULAR YESTERDAY

The following reports on the New York stock market have been received through Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz: *The Wall Street Journal* report on yesterday's market: Stocks were irregular and moderately active, featured by the early selling of oil issues as a result of the Supreme Court's ruling; after which oil were steeper on reassurance from the States that the decision was not meant to affect production. Oil stocks were strong, but more were barely steady in spite of General Motors having reported its 1934 sales at 42.7% higher than those for 1933. Some brokers are wondering how long the banks will continue to absorb Government bonds; and, in addition, are curious as to what the effect will be of a vastly inflated bond credit, as a result of the bond flotation necessary to carry out President Roosevelt's Budget requirements. Bonds were irregular. Stocks on the Curb Exchange were upward. Wheat prices were upward on short covering after the early decline. S. C. & F. New York office cables:

The oil production control provision of the National Recovery Administration held that the production of oil, in May, might be limited to 1,000,000 barrels per day. American Telephone & Telegraph's net earnings are estimated at \$5.75 per share. Sunoco Petroleum and Michelin Shoe have both declared an extra dividend of 50 cents per share. December steel ingot was up 350,000 tons. Senator Adams (democrat) reported as stating that the unconstitutionality of the oil restriction would eventually apply to agriculture. Business done: 1,190,000 shares.

New York and Chicago commodity reports received through Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz:

Cotton: A message from Washington inferring that there will be no further pressure of Pool selling at the present levels, caused afternoon buying.

Wool: Production of cotton for the year is estimated at 23,000,000 bales.

Grains: Wheat: The amount for sale at \$1.02 has halted the advance.

There are good gains in the Southwest and the Winter wheat belt.

There was late selling by the pit crowd on a subsiding demand. In corn each house was buying. Owing to rains and light country offering, there was a tendency to profit-taking on advances in all grains. The Dept. of Agriculture has estimated domestic requirement of wheat at 856,000,000 bushels.

Rubber: Primaries were firm.

There were careful sellers and trade buyers. Ceylon exports for December were 8,481 tons.

Dow-Jones Averages:

	Jan. 7	Jan. 8
30 Industrials	105.88	106.03
30 Rails	37.26	37.16
30 Utilities	17.64	17.54
40 Bonds	96.49	96.62
11 Commodity	62.04	62.10

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OUR "FORM" GUIDE

How Your Team Has Been Faring In League

The following table reveals how each team in the four divisions of the English league have fared to date, the results including their last five more matches up to yesterday. The first figure in each case, of course, is that of the team concerned.

FIRST DIVISION.

Birmingham	0-2 1-2 0-4	Z-2 0-0
Derby C.	1-5 3-0	1-1 2-2 1-1
Leeds	1-1 1-2	0-3 3-3 1-1
Aston Villa	1-1 0-2	0-3 2-2 1-1
Chelsea	2-1 2-0	3-1 1-0 0-1
Middlesbrough	1-2 2-2	3-1 2-0 3-0
Leicester	6-3 0-3	3-2 1-1 1-0
Liverpool	3-2 2-2	2-0 0-2 0-2
Plymouth	3-6 0-0	3-1 1-1 1-0
Preston	1-2 3-5	2-1 1-3 2-2
Wednesday	2-1 4-0	1-1 2-1 0-0
Sunderland	2-2 2-6	7-3 3-0 0-0
Tottenham	0-2 2-1	2-5 0-2 0-0
West Bromwich	3-0 2-1	2-0 1-2 0-2
Wolves	5-5 0-1	0-3 1-1 0-1
Blackburn	0-2 3-3	0-2 2-1 1-0
Arsenal	2-1 2-0	2-1 1-1 0-0
Grimsbury	4-1 0-1	0-3 0-1 0-0
Stoke	1-4 3-0	2-3 0-3 0-0
Huddersfield	6-2 0-7	6-2 2-2 2-2
Everton	0-5 2-1	3-0 3-2 0-1
Manchester C.	0-5 2-1	3-0 3-2 0-1

OUR FORECAST

ENGLISH CUP MATCHES

The following is the special Telegraph forecast for Saturday's English Cup, and English and Scottish League programmes.

ENGLISH CUP (Third Round)

WEDNESDAY	v Oldham
Aldershot	v Reading
LEICESTER	v Blackpool
West Ham	v Stockport
Portsmouth	v Huddersfield
BURNTLEY	v ARSENAL
Yerrell	v Mansfield
Fulham	v LIVERPOOL
Manchester U.	v Bolton
Notts F.	v MILLWALL
Oldham	v Manchester C.
Port Vale	v Sheffield U.
Barnsley	v Southampton
Southampton	v MANCHESTER U.
Blackpool	v MANCHESTER C.
Plymouth	v Gainsby
Bradford C.	v Coventry
Newcastle	v Barnsley
Sheffield U.	v DERBY
Notts C.	v Fulham
Hull	v Chesterfield
West Ham	v PRESTON

THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH)

Bradford	1-1 0-0	2-2 1-1 2-2
Brentford	2-1 0-1	1-1 1-2 3-0
Barnsley	3-2 0-3	2-1 0-0 4-0
Bury	2-4 0-3	1-1 1-2 2-1
Fulham	0-2 0-0	2-2 1-3 1-3
Manchester U.	2-1 0-1	3-0 3-0 3-3
Notts F.	0-4 0-2	3-3 0-2 2-0
Oldham	1-2 0-4	2-3 0-2 0-4
Port Vale	1-1 0-1	0-1 0-3 4-0
Barnsley	2-0 1-2	1-1 0-0 4-0
Norwich	1-1 2-6	3-3 2-1 3-1
Southampton	1-0 1-0	0-0 2-2 2-0
Blackpool	2-4 4-0	3-2 1-1 2-2
Plymouth	1-3 0-0	1-1 3-1 2-1
Bradford C.	4-0 0-1	3-0 2-0 1-3
Newcastle	0-2 1-1	2-0 5-1 0-0
Sheffield U.	1-2 2-1	3-0 0-0 3-3
Notts C.	1-1 1-2	1-0 4-0 0-4
Hull	1-1 2-6	1-1 2-1 2-2
West Ham	2-1 4-2	3-0 1-2 6-2

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Aldershot	0-0 1-2	0-1 0-3 1-0
Brighton	0-2 0-4	1-1 0-0 2-0
Bristol C.	1-2 2-3	0-4 1-4 2-2
Cardiff	1-2 3-3	1-2 1-3 2-0
Clapton O.	2-0 3-0	3-1 0-0 2-2
Coventry	0-4 4-0	5-2 4-3 4-1
Exeter	0-0 2-3	4-1 3-1 4-3
Gillingham	3-4 0-4	5-6 0-1 5-1
Luton	4-0 4-0	1-4 3-3 6-2
Swindon	0-0 2-2	1-1 0-1 5-0
Crystal P.	2-0 1-7	2-2 0-3 0-2
Bristol R.	4-3 2-1	1-0 0-0 2-6
Watford	3-1 1-0	7-0 4-0 4-0
Charlton	3-1 6-0	2-2 3-1 1-2
Reading	1-3 2-2	2-1 0-0 1-1
Northampton	0-2 1-1	2-2 3-4 2-3
Newport	0-0 1-0	7-1 3-2 1-3
Torquay	1-3 7-1	2-2 5-0 0-5
Southern	3-5 6-0	1-1 4-1 0-1
Queen's P.R.	1-3 1-3	2-4 3-1 1-4
Bournemouth	1-3 2-2	1-4 3-1 1-4
Millwall	2-0 2-2	1-2 1-3 0-0

THIRD DIVISION (NORTH)

Accrington	2-5 5-2	1-2 0-5 1-1
Crewe	1-5 5-1	1-2 0-2 1-1
Darlington	8-1 2-2	1-2 0-5 1-0
Gateshead	2-2 2-1	0-3 2-2 1-2
Halifax	1-2 0-2	0-4 1-2 1-1
Lincoln	2-0 4-2	1-2 1-2 3-1
Rotherham	2-5 0-2	1-2 0-4 2-0
Stockport	0-1 2-1	1-1 1-4 1-1
Tranmere	0-1 5-2	2-4 1-2 2-1
Walsall	0-4 3-4	3-3 4-2 4-4
New Brighton	0-2 1-2	8-0 2-1 0-1
Doncaster	2-1 1-2	3-1 2-0 2-3
York	0-5 1-0	2-1 2-1 1-3
Chester	0-1 1-0	2-2 1-1 1-1
Mansfield	2-3 4-0	3-1 4-0 0-3
Rochdale	1-0 1-3	2-2 2-0 1-4
Chesterfield	2-4 2-0	2-1 4-0 2-0
Southport	2-1 1-5	1-2 2-1 2-1
Carlisle	0-5 2-4	1-1 2-1 2-4
Hartlepools	2-1 1-3	2-4 3-1 4-3
Barrow	2-5 1-0	1-2 1-3 1-2

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tions when her players were then vastly inferior. Now to-day there is not a follower of tennis who does not recognise the enormous potentialities of Japan in the international tennis field. If Japan can make this remarkable improvement in such a short time, so can China. But it will be only by encouraging her young players, even to the extent of making them a "sacrificial offering" to stronger nations for the first few years.

CONCENTRATION ON YOUNG PLAYERS

IT is fairly certain that in selecting the team, China will concentrate on her younger players. The National Games at Nanking in 1933 revealed that there were a number of highly promising young tennis players available. Hsu Cheng-chi, the Batavian Champion, who won the Chinese national title by beating Khoo Hoo-hey in the final in three straight sets, is one of the first players who will receive consideration. In Shanghai there is Guy Cheng, who continues to improve, while Gordon Lum is still quite a young man, and is apparently playing well. nearer home there is Lai Kwong-tsuen of Canton, and our own Tsui Wan-pui, both of whom at least appear to warrant a trial.

LOOK TO THE FUTURE

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An exciting moment around St. Joseph's goal during last Saturday's match against South China "B" in the Senior Shield. Elms is seen attempting to intercept a shot, while Wong shapes for the ball. (Photo: Veritas)

AS I SEE IT

BY "VERITAS"

CHINA AND THE 1935 DAVIS CUP

OPPORTUNITY FOR YOUNGSTERS TO ONLY REQUIRE SHINE

CHINA Amateur Athletic National Federation's announcement that China would this year participate in the Davis Cup, and that Mr. Ng Sze-kwong, Hongkong's former tennis champion, had been asked to act as non-playing captain, has not yet been backed by any other official statement. Nevertheless the matter has by no means been shelved. There is an distinct possibility of Mr. Ng Sze-kwong going to Shanghai in the near future to discuss matters with the Federation Officials, and already he is busy compiling his own list of Probables and Possibles.

THE big obstacle in the way of competing in the Davis is the huge financial outlay demanded. So far as China is concerned the team, if any, entered in the competition this year, will be backed by the Government. Even so it is more than likely that when the candidates for China's team assemble in Shanghai, opportunity will be taken of their trial games to raise revenue to assist in the heavy expenses.

The tennis world generally will applaud China if she finally decides again to take part in the International tournament, and what is more interesting, her re-entry may do quite a lot towards speeding up the proposed formation of a Far Eastern Zone. The International Federation have already approved in principle the creation of such a zone, and it only needs countries like China, the Philippines, Indo-China, etc., to give practical support, for this zone to come into effect.

NO "INSPECTOR" YET. If the two referees idea is made permanent it might be incorporated in the rules as a "permissible" law. In that way the clubs concerned in a match would agree whether or not to have one or two referees.

The F.A. Council referred back to the Referees Committee the proposal that Cup ties from the third round of this season's competition should be attended by a member of the committee for the purpose of reporting on the referee and linesmen.

It was agreed, however, that each competing club shall, within four days after each tie, send to the F.A. secretary a statement in writing of the manner in which they consider the referee and linesmen have discharged their duties.

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TARLETON POUNDED BUT WINS**Peril Of Queen's Park Rangers****READY TO SELL PLAYERS**

In the ranks of London professional Soccer a big sensation has been caused by the announcement that Queen's Park Rangers are prepared to transfer any of the players on the books of the club if a satisfactory offer is received. This is not a common practice, but the early dismissal of the Rangers from the Cup competition has made the position of the club a very critical one. There are over 30 players on the books.

A DEFINITE DECISION

Commenting on the gravity of the situation and calling on supporters to rally round at a crisis, Mr. Jack Boyer a director of the club, said:

The directors have definitely made up their minds that unless they can get the necessary finance by selling their players, they are up against a big problem. In my opinion, this serious state of affairs with the Rangers is the forerunner of many other similar instances in the near future.

Last season, although we were runners-up, we made a loss on the year's working. To make Third Division football pay in London "gates" of 20,000 are absolutely necessary. To keep the club going, we must take a £1,000 "gate" every other Saturday.

A sixth of that goes in Entertainment Tax, there are bonuses to players to be considered, and players with London clubs have to be paid far more than £5 or £6 a week, as is the case with many Third Division clubs in the provinces.

PAY, PAY, PAY

Well, we are not getting such "gates," or anything like them, and our departure from the Cup competition has brought about a crisis.

It is a matter of "Pay, pay, pay," and the directors are constantly dipping their hands into their pockets. We are ready to sell any of our players; how many depend upon their market value.

We might sell Joe Devine for, say, a thousand pounds, but what would probably happen? Our "gates" with a "star" player absent, would probably deprecate about £50 a match for the remainder of the season.

Mr. C. H. Bates, another director, said that the decision did not mean that the Rangers were desirous to get rid of the whole team. The directors had done their best but could not put any more money into the club.

DANCE CONTEST**Yesterday's Heat Winners**

The Hongkong Dance Championships which are being conducted at the Hongkong Hotel Roof Garden, again attracted a large audience last evening. In yesterday's heat, in which a number of couples competed the winners were as follows:

By Judge's decision:—
No. 7: M. Drysdale and Miss G. Hing.
R. Douglas vote:—

No. 3: Lau Kwok Cheung and Miss Ma Ipo Chun.

Further eliminating contests will be held each afternoon during the whole of this week. The finals will be on Sunday, January 13.

Andrew and Ursula will continue to give demonstrations in the afternoons.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

WELL,
BUTTER
MY EARS
!!

SEE HIS FOOTPRINTS?
NOTICE ANYTHING PE-
CULIAR ABOUT
THEM?

THE LEFT
ONE IS DEEP-
ER THAN THE
RIGHT!

RIGHT! AND WE'VE
PROVED THAT THE MAN
WHO FIRED THEWOODS
ON OUR LITTLE IS-
LAND WALKED A BIT
MORE HEAVILY ON
HIS LEFT SIDE...

GEE CHARLIE, THAT'S NOT
FAIR, POUNCING ON A GUY
AFTER HE ASKS YOU TO
FORGIVE HIM, AND APOLOGI-
ZE FOR ALL HE'S
DONE!

FRECKLES, A
RAT IS STILL
A RAT, BY
ANY OTHER NAME
!!

BUT
MAYBE HE
INTENDED
DOING
WHAT WAS
RIGHT, IN
THE FUTURE
!

Indian Wisdom!**NOTICE.**

Entries for the above will close at 3:00 p.m. on SATURDAY, 12th JANUARY, 1935.

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SERIAL STORY—**Lovable**

By MARY RAYMOND



Sarah said, "Let Tony wait, Ann, and read those headlines!"

BEGIN HERE TO-DAY

ANN IDOLISTER, pretty and 20, finds work in a library. She fails to live with TONY BENNETT, commercial artist although warned by him by SARAH KENT, her roommate.

Later she meets PETER KENDALL, wealthy, good-looking, and single. ALICE BENNETT, society girl, Valeria spends much of her time with a gay crowd without Peter knowing about it.

Tony and Ann plan to marry him and she agrees. Although Tony has promised to "settle down" and save money so they can be married he does not do this. Sarah becomes enraged. JOHN MACDONALD and Valeria's messages to him. Tony promises

Ann a ring for a Christmas gift. Sarah and Ann prepare a festive Christmas Eve dinner but Tony fails to appear.

CHAPTER X.

Mac crossed to the telephone. "I'll find out where Tony is," he said. "I want by for him but he was busy and said he'd be here in plenty of time for dinner. When Tony's busy, the sky could fall."

He gave the operator the number, waited, but there was no answer.

"You should have brought him along," Sarah said reproachfully.

Ann's face burned at the implication in Sarah's words. "Why? Tony doesn't need a nurse."

Mac said, uncomfortably, "Shall I dash out and look about a little?"

"No," said Ann sharply. "Please, I'd rather you wouldn't."

Mac returned to his chair. He looked sober, troubled.

Ann said, with an effort at brightness, "Let's dish up. Sarah. We won't wait on Tony. He doesn't deserve hot dinner, being more than an hour late."

They sat down at the table, keeping up the pretense of gaiety. Keeping up the pretense of believing Tony would come straggling in at the end. All through the long meal they were pretending. Mac doing his best, his boomerang bass filling the unhappy hopes.

Afterward they stacked the dishes and put them in hot suds. Sarah and Ann would "do" them later.

"Come along with us to a movie, Ann," Sarah suggested. "It will serve Tony right to find nobody home. Do you suppose he could be ill? Maybe you should phone, Ann?"

Presently they were gone, giving Ann the chance to crawl miserably to her room and let tears hold back so long, have their way—to weep her heart out.

She was still awake, hours later, when Sarah returned. Still awake when Christmas chimes began to ring, heralding the advent of glad day. And then at last Ann slept—until the telephone aroused her. She heard Sarah's voice, calm and cool.

"Sure, Ann's here. No, I won't. She can't make it and she didn't sleep last night and—"

"I'm awake," Ann called. She was desperately relieved. Suppose something had happened to Tony. Suppose he really was ill!"

"Hello!" Then he hadn't been ill or hurt.

"I'm coming right over. We're having Christmas dinner together. At the sweetest joint in town. Ann, can you ever forgive me?"

"Well, thought Ann, it was best to make the most of this fast-moving holiday. Tony had been drinking. His voice not in his

voice told the story. He had probably stopped for a drink somewhere on his way over last night. It didn't take many drinks to knock Tony out.

"I'll get ready," she said dully. She went back to her room. Sarah fairly flung the morning newspaper at her.

"Let Tony wait, Ann, and read those headlines. And look at the pictures."

She stared at the large black type. "Society Group—Principal Pictures."

"Well," Peter asked. "Is the world coming to an end? Think of meeting you before noon."

"I'm glad that double-crossing Valeria Bennett's been found out," Sarah said. "If I don't miss my

guess, she's lost more than her reputation."

The story ran that a party had been in progress at Van Balen's apartment at an early hour of the morning when an inebriated and jealous husband—Marvin Walters—had joined the group unexpectedly, brandishing a pistol.

Guests had wisely barricaded themselves in, but not before the invader had shot at Van Balen, slightly wounding him. In the excitement someone called the police.

"Well," said Ann, "maybe it won't make any difference to Peter Kendall about his fiancee being there. Nothing seems to make any difference any more."

Presently, she thought unhappily, Tony would be explaining. And not long after that he would be kissing her—and so the hurt and disappointment of last night would be tucked away. Perhaps after awhile it would be forgotten.

On Christmas Eve, Peter had driven Valeria out to Kendallwood to see a mammal—Christmas tree which had been decorated for the children of the community. It was a brilliant spectacle, loaded with toys and blazing with lights.

Peter parked the car and got out, holding out his hand to Valeria.

"If you don't mind, I'll wait for you here," she said. "It's terribly cold and these thin shoes are hardly the thing for all that snow."

"Back in a moment," Peter said. Valeria watched, her lips curling a little, as his long strides carried him to the crowded area about the tree. People crowded about him. Shook his hand.

Peter looked as though he were actually enjoying it all. How could he, with all those kids shrieking and yelling about him!

As the minutes passed, Valeria's irritation increased. Sometimes Peter was impossible. Letting her sit there freezing while he milled about with factory workers.

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Peter was having breakfast alone when Don came into the dining room—not alone.

"Well," Peter asked. "Is the world coming to an end? Think of meeting you before noon."

Don answered the affectionate rally with a low growl. "Beastly head. I rang for the papers."

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COMPETITIONS**

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The judges again had a difficult task in making their selections, but after a great deal of elimination, yesterday's winners were chosen as follows: Mr. M. Drysdale and Miss G. H. King.

Popular voting gave the decision to Mr. Lau Kwok-cheung and Miss Ma Po-chun.

Andrew and Ursula, well-known exponents of ballroom dancing, gave exhibitions of the blues, quick-step and waltz. Each item was warmly applauded, and there were insistent demands for encores.

CHINA'S POSTS**REMOVAL FROM SHANGHAI
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Shanghai, Jan. 8. It is announced that the head post office will be transferred from Shanghai to Nanking on January 17, the removal taking three days.

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Solution to Previous Contract Problem.

By W. E. McKenney

The objective of every good bridge player is to become rated on the National Masters' list. Today there are fewer than 100 rated master players in the country. This year, at the national bridge championship tournament, which will be held in New York City the week of December 10th by the American Bridge League, two team-mates will be keenly com-

peting for the title of outstanding player of the United States in 1935.

At present, David Burnstone leads on the masters' list, with 269 points. Howard Schenken has 227 points, but Schenken, due to his winning the masters' pair event this year, is leading Burnstone in points earned in 1934 and, of course, when the national tournament is over, if he is still in the lead, he will receive the rating as the outstanding tournament player of the year. Masters' qualifying points are awarded at all national events at the tournament.

The Play

In to-day's hand Howard Schenken gave a nice example of simple trump management. Against the four spade contract East opens the king of clubs and continues with clubs, Schenken, in the North, ruffing the third round.

Now the player who believes that trumps should be drawn unless dummy is short-suited, in which case he could ruff one of the declarer's losers, would fail with to-day's hand, because the trump are the needed entry cards.

Fintimes must be taken in both hearts and diamonds and you can see, that if you draw three rounds of trumps and then lead a heart, taking the finesse, lead another club, trump, and take another heart finesse, you would still have to lose two diamonds.

Instead of drawing trump,

Schenken led a diamond and finessed the ten, which West won with the king. He had to return a trump, which Schenken won with

a small spade to his hand.

A small heart was played and the double finesse taken. Of course, when the ten spot held, a club was returned and ruffed with the king of spades. Now a heart was played, the queen finesse taken and the dummy's two aces won the last two tricks.

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London, Jan. 8.
Consultations between repre-
sentatives of the Government and
the General Council of the Trade
Union Congress on the subject of
a shorter working week will open
on January 24.

The Minister of Labour will
also, probably on the same day,
meet the National Confederation
of employers' organisations, in
reference to the same subject.

At these preliminary discus-
sions, efforts will be made to
ascertain what sacrifices employers
and men are prepared to make, in
order to effect greater absorption
of labour by introducing a shorter
working week.—*British Wireless*.

BRITISH FINANCES**LATEST EXCHEQUER
RETURNS**

London, Jan. 8.
Exchequer returns for the past
week show that during the current
financial year the total ordinary
revenue, exclusive of self-balanc-
ing revenue, amounted at January
5 to £43,667,802, which is £6,451,-
668 less than the amount collected
at the corresponding date last
year.

Expenditure for the same
period, exclusive of self-balancing
items, was £64,838,030, which
exceeds the amount expended at
the corresponding date of last
year by £10,842,330.—*British Wireless*.

**LEAGUE COUNCIL
MEETING****BRITISH DELEGATES
TO ATTEND**

London, Jan. 8.
Both Sir John Simon, Foreign
Secretary, and Mr. Anthony Eden,
Lord Privy Seal, will travel to
Geneva on Thursday for the
following day's meeting of the
League Council.

This afternoon, Sir John called
on the Prime Minister, and, it is
understood, discussed with him
the Franco-Italian agreement and
kindred matters.—*British Wireless*.

**BRITISH STOCKS
BOOMING****STRONG DEMAND IN
EVIDENCE**

London, Jan. 8.
British Government stocks were
in strong demand to-day.

War Loan three and half per
cent, touched 110 and closed at
109 1/4. Consols 2 1/4 per cent
were one half, up at 93 1/2, and
others also rose substantially.—*British Wireless*.

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ONLY
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and 9.30 P.M.****PIKINGS****LOST OVERBOARD****CHINESE SEAMAN FALLS
OFF MAU SANG**

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rived in port yesterday she reported
that one of her seamen, a Chinese
named Cheong Ho had fallen over
the side and was drowned while she
was on her voyage from Sandakan to
Hongkong.

The hotels could lend a very
valuable co-operation to the
Tourist Commission in the way of
facilitating all the available in-
formation concerning prominent
visitors. Social items and snap-
shots sent to the home-town newspapers
designated by the visitors them-
selves would surpass in advertising
value anything that may be within
the resources of any government or
tourist body. In many hotels in
Cuba and other points in the West
Indies which have been made
popular among American tourists
through various methods of adver-
tising, the guest finds a short
questionnaire in his room leaving it
to him whether he wants to fill it in
or not. Many of them don't care
to do it, but a great many do so
with pleasure.

SYSTEMATIC EFFORT

The questionnaire requests the
name, occupation and home address of
the visitor, his impression of the
place and the name of a newspaper
or periodical in his home town
where a short item regarding his
visit or a snap may be sent in for
publication. The result is wide
publicity among his friends and
valuable advertising for that parti-
cular hotel at the cost of a stamp.

It is easy to appreciate that
systematic work of this kind would
produce important increase in the
number of travellers who would
want to visit Hongkong in the
course of their trip to the Orient.
The abolition of visa charges for
home-side tourists and the exten-
sion of the time limit for reporting
to the Police, to two weeks, would
undoubtedly help to promote the
movement of travellers toward
Hongkong thus more, than com-
pensating for the comparatively in-
significant loss in passport charges.

Broadly speaking, the task of a
Tourist Commission would be to
promote travel to Hongkong. Be-
sides carrying out detail work such
as described in a previous article
and outlined above, a very import-
ant objective of the Tourist Com-
mission would be to promote the
creation of new arteries of travel.

AERIAL DEVELOPMENT

Hero is the very far-reaching
question of aerial development for
instance, which is of great impor-
tance for the future of the Colony.
No doubt that if a Tourist Com-
mission, representing the travel
interests and merchants of the
Colony officially approaches the
Government in order to solicit its
good offices for the purpose of
securing the services of the
different airways for Hongkong,
the Government will pay more atten-
tion to such a request than to
suggestions coming from a private
person.

Experience shows that advertis-
ing has been a most important fac-
tor in augmenting the number of
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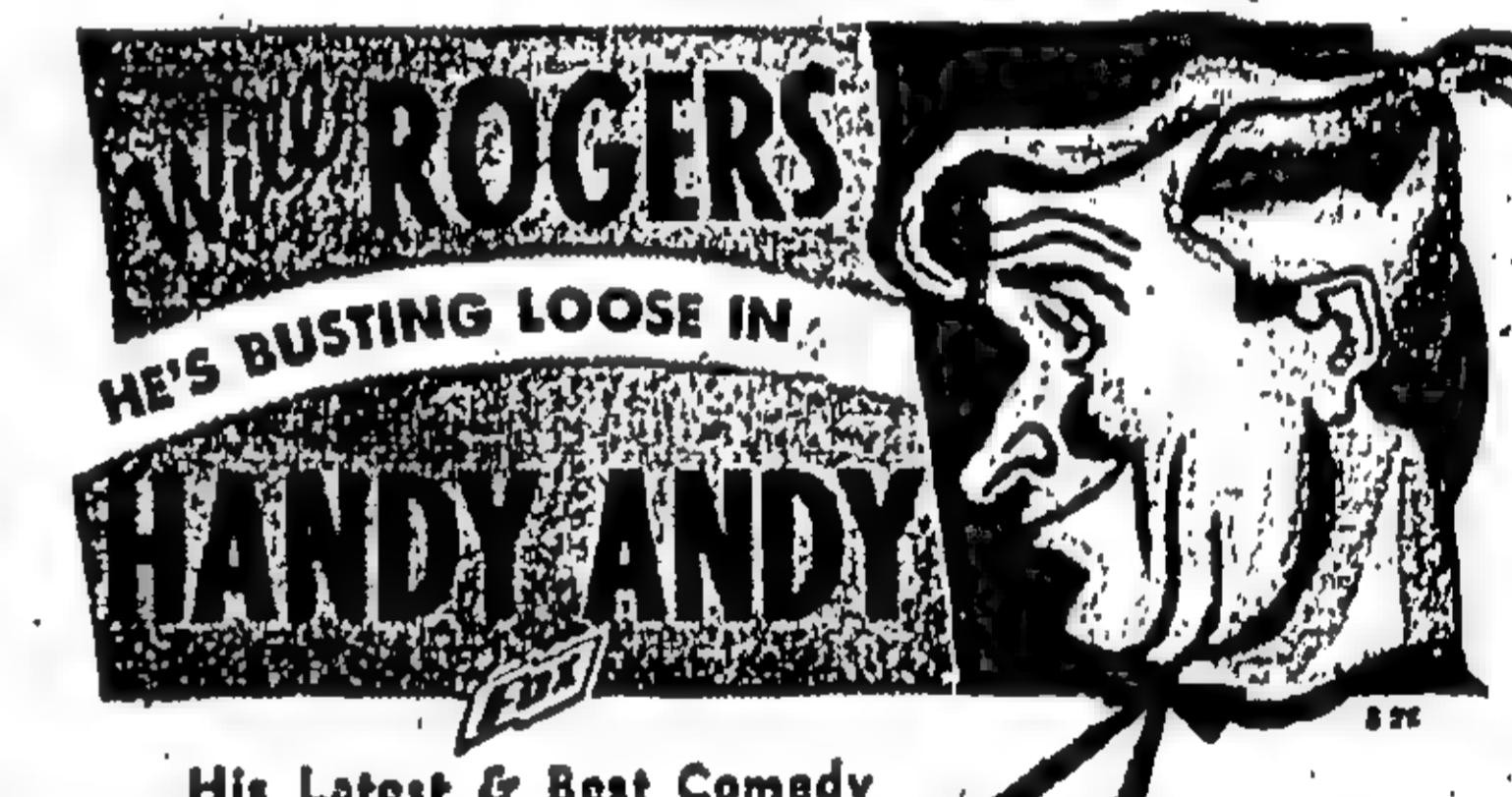
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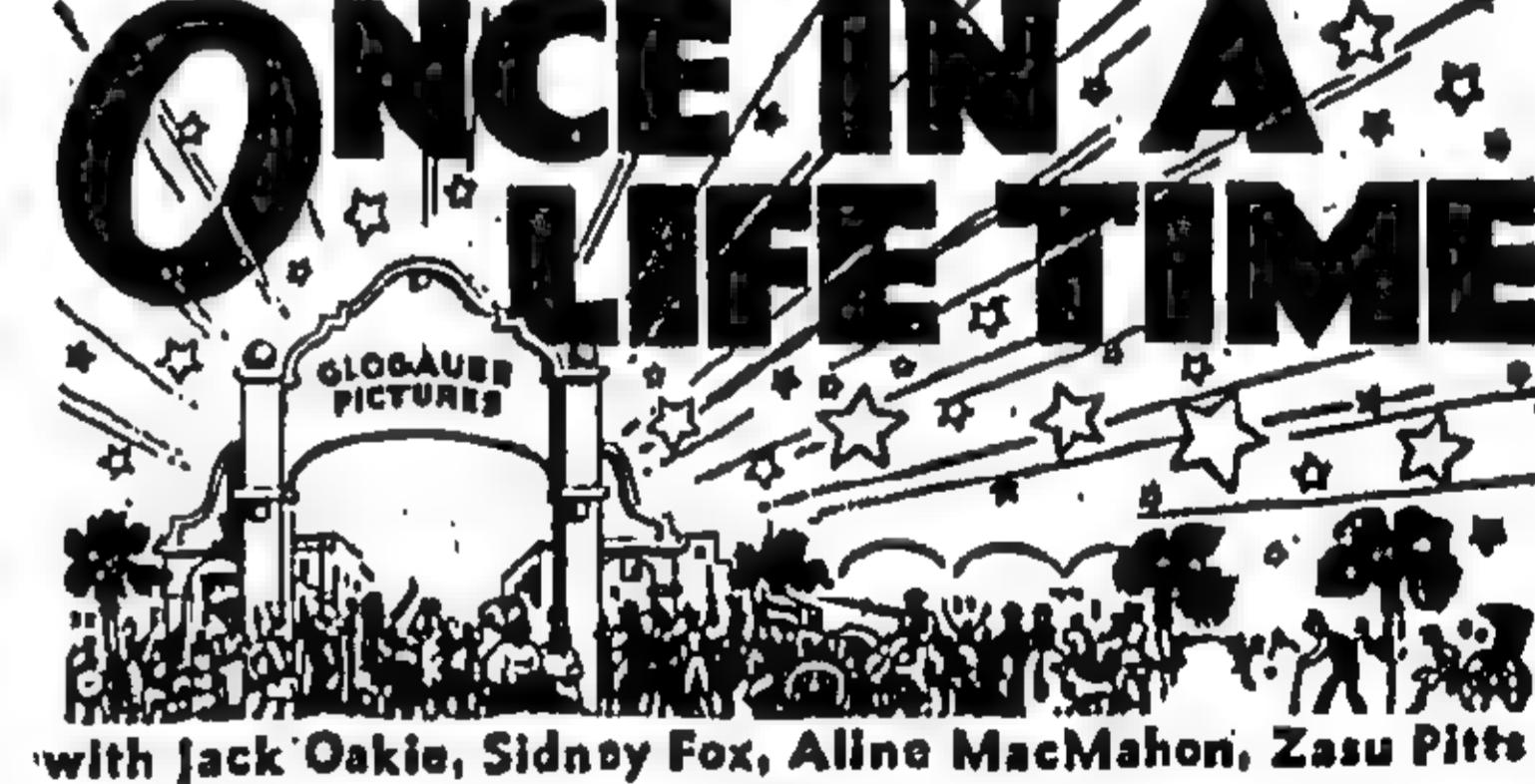
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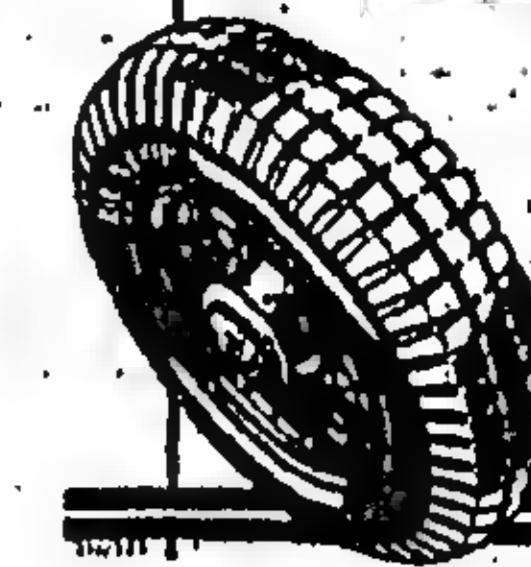
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U.S. SILVER PLAN TO BE EXPOSED?

STRONG GROUP ASKS REMONETISATION

ORGANISING TO FORCE QUICK ACTION

(SPECIAL TO "TELEGRAPH")

Washington, Jan. 8. As a result of the agitation among the Silver Bloc, it was learned to-day that Congress may enforce the Secretary of the Treasury, Mr. Morgenthau, to render a strict account of the Administration's monetary programme, especially the policy relating to silver purchases.

Mr. Morgenthau says that there is absolutely no significance attached to the seigniorage figures in the budget, as they do not mean that any change will be made in the silver purchasing programme.

The estimated seigniorage for the fiscal year 1936 is \$125,000,000 as compared with \$100,000,000 for 1935.

Meanwhile, members of the House of Representatives who favour further immediate legislation designed to increase the price of silver to-day began the organisation of a congressional bloc, regardless of party lines, to accelerate the campaign for the remonetisation of the white metal. The leader of the bloc in the House is Representative John A. Martin, Democrat of Colorado.

The members of the bloc in the House plan to consult and work closely with the Senate group which is also working energetically for the remonetisation of silver. Political observers here expect that the new organisation will be more effective and larger than the silver bloc which wielded so much influence at the last session of Congress.

POWERFUL BODY

Representative Martin to-day declared that "the present silver law has been a strip-child on the Treasury's door-step. If the officials of the Treasury carried out the law, silver would rise to U.S.\$1 an ounce, bringing great benefits to the miners and expand our currency."

Mr. Martin said that the United States is suffering from insufficient currency and excessive dependency on bank credit. He deplored the "timidity" with which he declared the silver issue had been confronted.

Mr. Martin added: "If the country could stand cutting the gold content of the dollar, it could also stand at least the experiment of remonetising silver. At the time the gold dollar was devalued, silver should have moved into the picture. Events showed there were no great stores of cheap silver available in the world."

Mr. Martin himself favours remonetisation of silver at a 16 to 1 ratio with gold. He said that as yet there was "available no consensus of his colleagues in the new silver bloc regarding procedure."

Representative James Scrugham, Democrat of Nevada and a prominent member of the House.

ECHO OF TRAGIC EXPLOSION

MR. KOTEWALL WILL ASK QUESTIONS

The following questions arising out of the disastrous explosion at West Point in May of last year are to be asked by the Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotewall at to-morrow's meeting of the Legislative Council:

(a) Whether the gasometers are considered to be suitably placed in their present locations, in view of their proximity to tenement houses;

(b) What steps have been, or will be, taken to ensure the proper maintenance and the regular examination of the gasometers;

(c) What other steps has the Government decided to take with a view to preventing similar disasters in the future.

SHOCK FOR ACCUSED KIDNAPPER

BUT HAUPMANN UNSHAKEN

SURPRISE EVIDENCE

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Flemington, Jan. 8. Mandus Hochmuth, 87-year-old resident of Hopewell, N.J., was a surprise witness to-day at the trial of Bruno Hauptmann, charged with the kidnapping and murder of the Lindbergh baby.

He was called by the State and identified Hauptmann as the man he saw carrying a ladder in an automobile in the vicinity of the Lindbergh estate a few hours before the kidnapping.

Hochmuth walked up to Hauptmann in the court, placed a hand on his knee and declared: "That's the man I saw."

Hauptmann, his stoic attitude unshaken, shook his head slowly and leaning towards his wife whispered, "This old man must be crazy." His whisper could be heard all over the court.

There was another surprise in store for the court. Joseph Peronne, a New York taxi driver, testified that Hauptman gave him a note, believed to have been a demand for ransom, which he delivered to Dr. Condon.

Hauptman, almost inaudibly, muttered: "You are a liar."—United Press.

PAID HIM A DOLLAR

Flemington, Jan. 8. After Hochmuth had declared he saw Hauptman in the vicinity of the Lindbergh home, with a ladder in his car on the night of the kidnapping, there was a further shock for the defence.

A Bronx taxi driver, John Peronne, identified Hauptmann as the man who gave him a dollar to deliver a note to Dr. Condon in March, 1932.

There will be an additional huge Government Bond issued which the banks will absorb, through which bank credit will be highly inflated.

In many quarters it is believed that should the banks eventually refuse to absorb bonds the Government will be faced with currency inflation.

Conversely should business improve sufficiently, relief expenses would be reduced; tax returns increased, and the nation's affairs would be restored to normal.

Wall Street financiers expressing their views on the President's budget message to-day said that they expect the Treasury financing to exceed \$1,600,000,000 in view of the enormous budgetary requirements for 1935.—United Press.

HIGH FINANCING

Washington, Jan. 8.

The Treasury is planning a new \$9,000,000,000 financing programme to meet President Roosevelt's budget estimates, the United Press learned from an authoritative source to-day.—United Press.

CONSERVATIVE CONTROL

Washington, Jan. 8.

This week in Congress has demonstrated that the conservative Democrats are dominant in both the Houses. Such being the case, the possibility of "printing press" inflation would appear to be eliminated.

Furthermore silver and other monetary legislation is likely to conform substantially with President Roosevelt's and the Secretary of the Treasury's views.

This of course would be subject to the usual compromises in the event of the Silver Bloc bringing strong pressure to bear.

Although in many quarters it is anticipated that the Bonus Bill will be passed, it is doubted whether Senator Patman's inflationary method of payment will accompany it.—United Press.

WHAT STEPS ARE BEING TAKEN?

At to-morrow's meeting of the Legislative Council, the Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotewall is to ask the following questions with regard to linking Hongkong with outside aerial services:

(a) Has the Government under consideration, and, if not, will the Government consider, the question of making Hongkong a port of call in connection with the reported air services between Canton and the United States of America.

(b) What steps have been, or will be, taken with a view to linking Hongkong with the great air routes of the world; and, if the matter is under consideration, when are such connections expected to be effected.



NEW NAVAL PARLEY POSSIBLE

AGREEMENT IN SIGHT

MR. DAVIS' OPTIMISM

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Washington, Jan. 8. The hint that further naval conversations will occur before long between the great naval powers was dropped by Mr. Norman Davis, chief American delegate to the London talks which concluded recently, when he was interviewed to-day just after his arrival from Europe.

After conferring with Mr. Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, Mr. Davis said none of the sea powers wanted to engage in a naval race.

He added that there was a strong possibility that within the

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QUESTIONS ON COLONY REVENUE

EXEMPTIONS FROM STAMP DUTIES

MR. BRAGA ASKS FOR FACTS

Interesting questions are to be asked by the Hon. Mr. J. P. Braga, at to-morrow's meeting of the Legislative Council, on the possible loss of revenue to the Colony arising out of exemption from stamp duty of contracts in respect of exchange business outside the Colony.

Mr. Braga's questions are as follows:

1. Are sale and purchase contracts and/or debit notes for shares of Companies operating outside the Colony but dealt in in this market treated alike for purposes of stamp duty? If the reply to this question is in the negative, what is the differentiation and on what grounds is the differentiation justified?

2. Is the Colonial Treasurer in a position to state approximately the value in Hongkong currency of the business carried on, since 1st January, 1934, to the 30th June last, by brokers on exchanges outside the Colony whose contracts and/or debit notes are exempt from stamp duty?

3. If the volume of the business referred to in Question 2 is ascertainable, will the Honourable Member inform the Council what would have been the estimated amount of stamp fees derivable therefrom if the transactions had been liable to payment of stamp fees on the scale chargeable to shares of Hongkong Companies?

4. Is it the opinion of Government that the operations by brokers in Hongkong on exchanges outside the Colony do divert dealings in shares of local Companies; and if they do, does not the revenue of the Colony suffer by reason of the diversion from local to foreign exchanges through a diminution in stamp duty collections in respect of share contracts and/or debit notes?

For the benefit of the revenue of the Colony has the attention of Government been directed to the necessity for rectifying an existing anomaly that while dealings in shares of local Joint Stock Companies are subject to stamp fees certain foreign Companies enjoy immunity from such taxation?

The Government considers the case an involving the nation's financial stability, and has sent the Attorney General, Mr. Cummings, to defend the legislation in question.—Reuter.

ICKES' WARNING

Washington, Jan. 8.

The Secretary of the Interior, Mr. Harold Ickes, to-day said that yesterday's decision of the Supreme Court in which the oil production clause was declared unconstitutional emphasizes the necessity of adequate and specific legislation which will make government control secure.

The Secretary indicated that the Administration is considering asking Congress to take action which would declare all industry

to be in the class of public utilities, which would give the Government complete control of all industrial activities.—United Press.

Making a surprise raid on Tsinghua University, a few miles outside Peking, police to-day arrested ten students, charging them with spreading dangerous propaganda of a communistic nature.

The students have been brought here for trial.—Reuter.

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UNIVERSITY RADICALS

TEN ARRESTS NEAR PEKING

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H.K. EDUCATIONAL PROGRESS

TECHNICAL TRAINING PROGRAMME

EXPERT READY TO TABLE PRELIMINARY REPORT

There is to be laid on the table at to-morrow's meeting of the Legislative Council a lengthy report by Mr. George White, B.Sc., A.M.I.Mech.E., Principal of the Hongkong Junior Technical School, of a basic scheme setting out the general lines on which it is proposed to inaugurate a system of technical education for the Colony.

The report is made following a minute by H.E. the Governor stating that "it is essential that we should have a definite programme drawn up, and work up to it as far as funds will permit."

No attempt has been made, nor is it possible to do so, to analyse the prospects of all the activities which it is hoped to include eventually within the scheme; rather has an endeavour, in the first instance, been made to provide, for each class of society, one means of entrance to, or training in, such a mechanical occupation as is found to be appropriate to the financial resources of each individual.

Dealing with general policy, Mr. White says in considering the desirability of any course, the population affected may be considered as divided into three classes:

(a) The "White Collar" class whose sons would normally expect to qualify for a "White Collar" job with its superior social status.

(b) The skilled "Artisan" class, ambitious for its sons, and ready and able to make some sacrifice for their training.

(c) The generally poor whose sons eventually become semi-skilled after serving the least efficient type of apprenticeship in a Chinese workshop. In general, the sacrifice devolving on this class by paying the smallest fee is very heavy.

Consideration must also be given to the fact that no course can be even partially successful unless students receive exactly the type of education demanded by the industry for which training is given. Accordingly the Senior courses with which it is proposed to make a start, viz., Marine Engineering, Building, Automobile Repair are those in which close co-operation with the industrial firms concerned can be firmly established.

INTRICATE MOSAIC

The general organisation of the various schools must of necessity be absolutely apart from the General English Educational System. The latter follows a fairly definite course from the time the student enters the District School until he leaves after Matriculation; and within limits all students in all schools follow the same Course. Organisation within the individual school is much simplified by this concentration on one course.

Technical Schools other than Junior can never have the advantage of such simplicity of organisation; students in the same year will be following four or perhaps more separate courses; certain subjects will be common to most courses, but the whole must be regarded as an intricate mosaic the components of which can only be efficiently fitted together by careful adjustment as the system develops.

PROPOSED FEES

Before laying down the courses of training in detail, it may be well to define the different types of courses proposed. These are:

(a) Junior Courses, which provide pre-apprenticeship training; they are largely general, and in no wise a substitute for apprenticeship.

(b) Senior Courses, which are accepted, either in whole or in part, in lieu of apprenticeship.

(c) Part-time (Lecture) Courses, (mainly evening classes) which provide the theoretical

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**LORD GREENWAY'S
WAR WORK**

**ANGLO-PERSIAN
OIL CO. HEAD**

Lord Greenway, who died recently at Romsey in his 78th year, did notable work for his country as Chairman of the Anglo-Persian Oil Company during the War.

He had succeeded Lord Strathcona in the Chairmanship of the company shortly before the outbreak of the War. At that time the undertaking had nearly exhausted its capital, and the question had arisen whether it would be forced to sell its concession and plant to one of the foreign syndicates which were anxious to acquire them.

In these circumstances Admiral Lord Fisher, who was President of the Royal Commission which had to advise the Government on oil supplies, privately told Sir Charles Greenway, as he was then, that the Navy must depend upon oil fuel and asked him to continue the work of the Anglo-Persian Company at all costs.

Sir Charles determined that in the interest of the country the independence of the company should be maintained, and it was largely due to the evidence he gave before the Royal Commission that the Government were induced to invest in the company the additional capital that was needed. The result was seen in the huge expansion of the company's work during the War and the invaluable services it was enabled to render to the Royal Navy by providing it with the oil it needed.

Charles Greenway, Lord Greenway, who was created a Baronet in 1919 and a Peer in 1927, was a Somerset man, his father having been John D. Greenway, of Taunton. He went to India in 1886, and for twenty-three years played a prominent part there in commercial and industrial development. Since his return to England he had been engaged in commerce and banking.

He was one of the founders of the Anglo-Persian Oil Company, and had done much for the development and well-being of Persia. In recognition of his services in this connection he was made a Grand Officer of the Persian Order of the Lion and Sun.

WHITE PAPER POLICY

Though he relinquished the Chairmanship of the Anglo-Persian Oil Company in 1927, he had continued till the end, as President to take an active interest in its work. He was a convinced opponent of the White Paper policy of the Government. In 1930, when it was suggested that a maximum measure of self-government might be conceded to India in return for a permanent preference for British goods he described the suggestion as "one that would not appeal to anyone having the slightest regard for the welfare of India."

"If we were to abandon our high mission in India simply for this pecuniary gain," he said, "we should lose, and deserve to lose, not only the gain sought, but the respect both of India and of the world at large."

Lord Greenway's many activities included those associated with the Chairmanship of the Asthma Research Council, in whose work he took the keenest interest.

Lord Greenway married in 1883 Mabel, daughter of Augustine E. Tower, and leaves a son and two daughters. The successor to the barony is his son, the Hon. Charles K. Greenway, who was born in 1888, and was formerly a captain in the 26th K.G.O. Light Cavalry.

There will be a deep sense of loss among Lord Greenway's old friends in India, his colleagues in the Anglo-Persian Oil Company, and many friends at Romsey. He was an outstanding and most picturesque figure. His long connection with India, his love of sport of every kind, and his hospitality, so lavishly and so kindly proffered, had made

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COOKERY NOTES



ONE IN SCOTLAND

There are now only six silent houses left in the British Isles. According to statistics compiled as at October 1, there are now 4,879 cinema theatres in the British Isles.

The following figures show the position of sound, closed, and silent houses:

	Sound.	Closed.	Silent.
England	3530	105	5
Scotland	500	69	1
Wales	347	46	0
Ireland	281	63	0

FLORA ROBSON AS QUEEN ELIZABETH

Flora Robson will play Queen Elizabeth in a forthcoming London Film production to be produced by Alexander Korda. The film will contain such famous characters as Mary Queen of Scots, Philip of Spain, Admiral Drake, and Sir Walter Raleigh, and will deal with the great period in English history embracing the reign of Elizabeth. It will be a straightforward historical film with highly dramatic qualities, and be the second London Film in which Flora Robson has appeared. She was the Empress Elizabeth in "Catherine the Great." Miss Robson will also play in the film version of "Mary Read" (the woman pirate).

GARBO'S NEW CONTRACT

Following on the completion of her latest picture, Somerset Maugham's "The Painted Veil," Greta Garbo has just signed a new contract with the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studios.

"The Painted Veil" was her final production under the existing contract, and it had been freely stated that when this contract was completed she might go back to Sweden to enjoy a life of leisure.

Garbo is now entering her tenth year as a screen star. She has appeared in nineteen starring roles, and twenty pictures.

LYN HARDING JOINS BERGNER FILM

Lyn Harding, the London actor, has joined the cast of "Escape Me Never," British and Dominion's new production starring Elizabeth Bergner. He plays the part of Heinrich, the old conductor.

He has had a long and picturesque career on the stage, making his first appearance at Bristol as far back as 1890. As a young man he toured the Far East. In America he has not only played on the stage but in films. He also appeared in the British and Dominions talkie, "The Speckled Band."

JOHN BOLES AGAIN

John Boles is back in Hollywood after a vacation in New York, and will soon start work on a musical production, "Redheads on Parade."

After the completion of this picture he will play the leading role in "Hawks of the Desert."

STANLEY HOLLOWAY FILM

Stanley Holloway, the radio and stage comedian and former Co-optimist, is signed for three films by a new company, City Films, which is first making "Barnacle Bill" at the Cricklewood studios, with Archie Pitt, Gracie Fields' husband, in the leading role.

SEYMOUR HICKS' 63 COLLEAGUES

Seymour Hicks, who has the starring role in "Mr. What's His Name," the current Warner Bros. First National production, is supported by no fewer than 63 artists, everyone of whom has a definite speaking role.

The cast includes Olive Blakney, Garry Marsh, and Enid Stamp-Taylor in the principal roles, while Bomberdell Wells and Gunner Moir, two ex-heavy-

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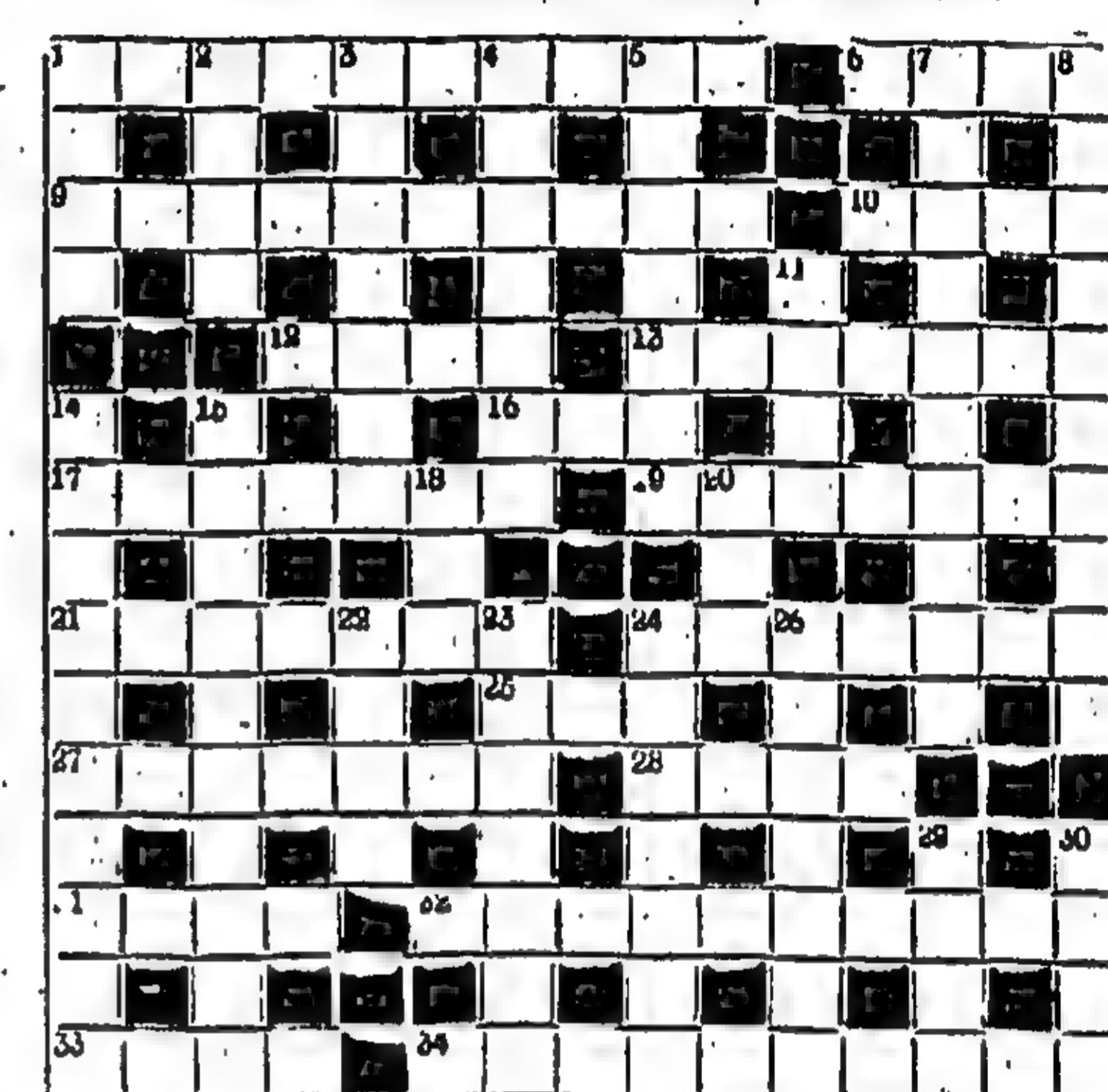
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4 One side of "Alice" battle.
5 In its place (anagram).
6 The song of the prairie.
7 A sailor wants nothing in this Finnish port.
8 Simple, no doubt, and somewhat accommodating.
9 Seven times a week.
10 For example, a nun.
11 Reclaim (anagram).
12 Bitter sweet.
13 Be this yourself and get a move on.
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COURTS TO TEST NEW DEAL'S VALIDITY

Washington, Jan. 6.

Cases testing the validity of the "New Deal" money laws and the contractual effects of dollar devaluation are set for hearing before the Supreme Court of the United States, to commence January 8.

Although the five cases to be heard had diverse origins and involve several different principles, the Supreme Court ordered their hearing in sequence upon motion by the Solicitor-General of the United States. This procedure appeared to indicate the court's readiness for an early and comprehensive judicial interpretation of the series of acts of Congress and Executive decrees which had their genesis in the acute banking and currency crisis of 1933.

Damages that might result directly from the pending cases probably would not exceed \$40,000,000 if all decisions favoured the claimants, but the principles at issue affect currency, private and public bonds having a face value variously estimated unofficially at from \$80,000,000,000 and \$100,000,000,000. An accurate estimate would require inspection of the terms of issuance of vast amounts of bonds, particularly with reference to the inclusion of the so-called "gold clause" guaranteeing payment in coin of specified weight or fine.

In view of the tremendous sums theoretically involved, and the unpredictable economic and legal consequences that might result if the principal "New Deal" money laws were held unconstitutional, observers here generally do not believe that the Supreme Court would make any sweeping all-inclusive judgment, but rather anticipate that the highest tribunal would specify principles to guide decisions of the courts where money cases are pending.

DAMAGE CLAIMS

Cases involving Federal Government Liabilities, in fact, have been presented in such manner as to seek rulings on principles and questions of law applicable to damage claims.

Tremendous public interest attends the cases, in several of which the Attorney-General will appear for the United States Government. Lower court decisions on points at issue have not developed extensive legal reasoning as to the basis for judgments, and opinions rendered by the Supreme Court of the United States will become of extraordinary importance in the law of the land.

The cases collectively involve the validity of the "gold clause" in private bonds and contracts, the right of the United States government to pay its bonds in a de-valued dollar, the right of the Treasury to demand surrender of gold certificates upon redemption in the de-valued dollar, and the liability of the Federal Government to damage suits arising from its drastic monetary policies.

First of the cases to be heard is the suit of Mr. Norman C. Norman of New York against the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company, challenging failure of the railroad to pay him interest on the railway's \$1,000 gold bond in accordance with the pre-devaluation value of the dollar.

OLD STANDARDS

The bond carried a clause providing for payment of principal and interest in gold coin of the United States or equal to the Standard of the weight and fineness existing February 1, 1930, the date when the bond was purchased.

When the interest coupon matured Mr. Norman demanded that he be paid either \$22.50 in gold of the old standard or \$38.10 in currency, the amount equivalent to the earlier gold-standard dollar.

The Supreme Court of New York denied Mr. Norman's claim, but did not render an opinion. The judgment held valid Public Resolution No. 10, approved by June 5, 1933, which provided that any obligation therefore, or thereafter incurred, which purports to give the obligee a right to require payment in gold or a particular kind of coin or currency or in an amount of money of the United States measured thereby, "shall be discharged upon payment, dollar for dollar, in any coin or currency which at the time of payment is legal tender for public and private debts."

OTHER CLAUSES

The second and third cases involved "gold clause" in reference to railway mortgage bonds which became involved in bankruptcy proceedings. In these cases the Bankers Trust Company and Mr.

Fifth of the cases, that of Mr. John M. Perry versus United States appellants who the Reconstruction Finance Corporation and others are respondents. The Liberty bond in 10,000 gold dollars R.F.C. became involved through its holdings of the bonds as fine or 10,000.25 dollars of 16.5/21.

MORE QUESTIONS

THE TANGO IS SIMPLE

Tango music is irresistible—and you must know how to do one of the tango versions. Arthur Murray, dance-master to celebrities, here, in the third of six articles, explains a simple routine.

(BY ARTHUR MURRAY)

New York. It's just as simple and certainly a lot more gracious to learn to tango than to stumble around trying to fox-trot to tangy music.

At rather pretentious' holiday balls where the music is supplied by two orchestras, you may be sure that one of them will play practically nothing except slow, rhythmic tango music.

At smaller parties, the single orchestra will mix tango tunes with the fox-trot and waltz selections. This, after all, is a tango year. And unless you know what to do when a Spanish-type song is being played, you might as well sit down.

Actual tango steps are, of course, similar to those in the waltz and fox-trot. Because of this, even a beginner will find tango steps surprisingly simple. They are done in a deliberate manner, making coordination between the mind and one's feet quite easy to acquire.

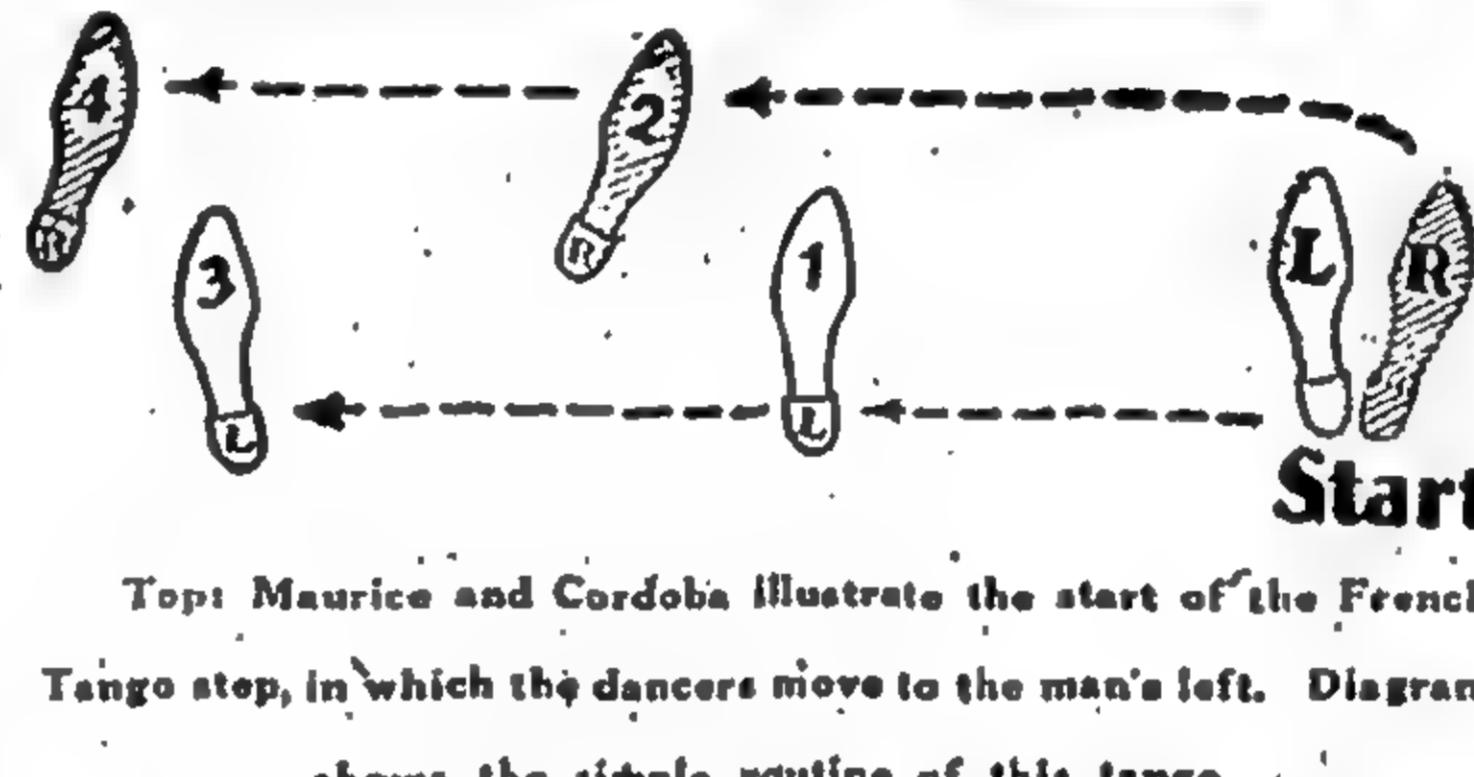
What is commonly known as the French version of the tango is extremely popular this year. For that reason, I have diagrammed a step that is done in the half-open position. That is, the feet cross in front of each other, but the shoulders remain parallel and the position of the head should not be changed.

In the Tango the steps are divided into slow and quick movements. The slow step takes about a second and is given two beats of the music. The quick step is twice as fast as a slow step and is given but one beat of the music.

The steps are taken sideways. The man has his back to the centre of the room as he progresses to his left. The lady faces the centre of the room and her steps are taken sideways to her right.

First, take a long slow step with left foot to left side; then cross right foot in front of left; weight on right foot; step with left foot to left; repeat and draw right foot up to left.

When taking the second and fourth steps, the man leads with his heel.



Top: Maurice and Cordoba illustrate the start of the French Tango step, in which the dancers move to the man's left. Diagram shows the simple routine of this tango.

Supreme Court of the United States the following questions:

(1) Is the claimant, being the holder and owner of a Fourth Liberty Loan 4 1/4 per cent bond of the United States, of the principal amount of \$10,000 issued in 1918, which was payable on and after April 15, 1934, and which bond contained a clause that the principal is "payable in United States gold coin of the present standard of value," entitled to receive from the United States an amount in legal tender currency in excess of the face amount of the bond?

(2) Is the United States, as obligor in a Fourth Liberty 4 1/4 gold bond, as stated in question one, liable to respond in damages even to the Himalayas? Our picture shows a monk together with a native from Tibet, where the monk arrived to discuss the building of a cloister in the Himalayas.

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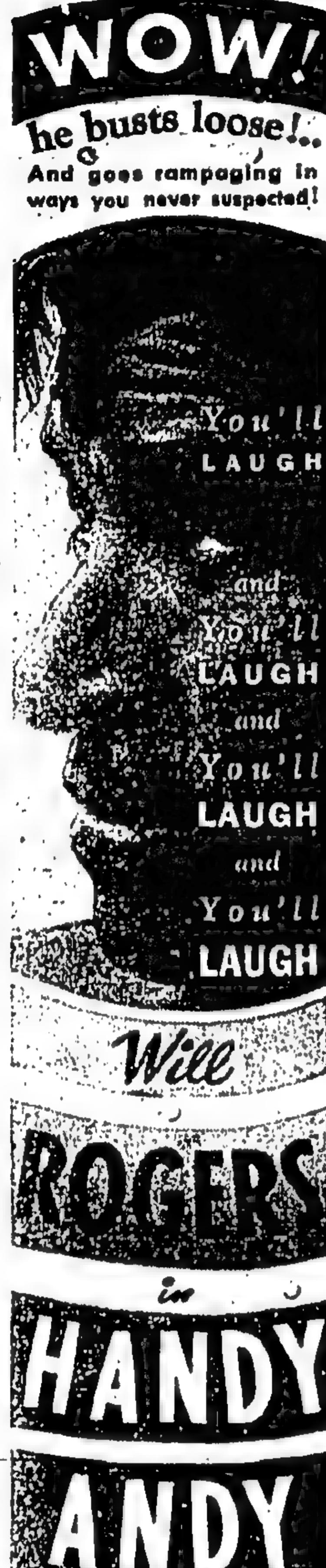
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PRISONER'S DEATH

SHORT TERM INMATE DIES FROM TUBERCULOSIS

Sentenced to undergo two months' hard labour on November 26 last for simple larceny, Young Sau, aged 49, died in the Victoria Gaol hospital yesterday morning at 9.25.

Mr. E. J. Wynne-Jones, sitting at Coronor, conducted an inquiry at the Central Magistracy yesterday afternoon, and was assisted by the following jury: Mr. D. G. McAvoy (foreman), Mr. A. F. Ferreira and Mr. Wong Mann-kwong.

The Coroner mentioned he had, in accordance with law, viewed the body in the prison mortuary.

Chief Warder H. Barrett deposed that the deceased, prisoner No. 11206, was admitted to prison on November 26 and entered the prison hospital on December 10.

The Coroner remarked that the Magistrate's deposition, produced in Court, recorded defendant pleaded guilty to the charge of simple larceny and had two previous convictions.

Dr. L. D. Pringle, gaol medical officer, testified that on admission to prison Young Sau was found to be suffering from pulmonary tuberculosis, and admitted being a chronic opium addict. His physical condition was classified as very poor. On admission to hospital the diagnosis of tuberculosis was confirmed by bacteriological examination.

Cut on Forehead

Describing the postmortem examination which he performed Dr. Pringle said he noticed a superficial cut one inch in length, two inches above the right eyebrow. There was advanced tuberculosis in both lungs. Death was due to generalized tuberculosis.

Replying to his Worship, the doctor said that he examined the

skull under the cut and there was no sign of injury to the skull. He did not examine the brain. The cut was not through the whole thickness of the skin.

Dr. Pringle added that neither the cut nor the blow that occasioned the cut had any direct effect. It might possibly have hastened death very slightly.

Young Sau, he added, was admitted to the hospital because he developed fever.

Replying to a question by the jury, Dr. Pringle said deceased was in half-labour as he was not fit for hard labour. Half-labour was practically no manual labour.

Gulam Khan, Warder 42, testified he was hospital warder. He last saw the prisoner, Young Sau, at 6 a.m. yesterday. At 1.30 a.m. prisoner got up from his bed and went to the washroom to get water and there he fell down. Witness was told so by Guard Khan Bahadur.

Prisoners in the hospital ward were allowed to go to the closet or the washhouse without permission if they had the permission of the medical officer to get out of bed.

Hit Edge of Bath

Deceased cut his forehead on the edge of a large iron bath tub. Witness dressed the wound and put him to bed.

At this stage, the Court adjourned for a brief period while the Coroner, accompanied by the jury, viewed the body, also the gaol hospital.

On resumption, Khan Bahadur desisted from seeing the prisoner hit his head on the edge of a tub. He was sitting at the time. The floor was dry and witness did not know what made him sit down. His forehead bled slightly. Witness immediately called to the hospital warder who attended to the deceased.

The jury, without retiring, returned verdict of death from natural causes.

BRITISH PLANES

WRONG SALES METHOD IN CHINA MARKET

London, Jan. 8. In a special article printed today, the special correspondent of the Daily Telegraph caustically comments on the failure of British firms in the Chinese market.

The British position, he declares, has been seriously weakened. Three years ago, the Americans appear to be retiring before the Italian advance. Great Britain is nowhere.

The Americans gained the lead, says the article, by offering direct dealing between the factory and the buyer, cutting out agents and commissions. Then the Italians sent a special mission and obtained charge of China's advanced military aviation, together with substantial orders for aircraft.

The Chinese would willingly work with the British but refuse to pay the agents' ten per cent commissions. They also desire direct touch with the manufacturers.

The Daily Telegraph contents that one good representative could represent several manufacturers. The Italians and Americans work in this manner; why not the British?

The Chinese market can only be regained by a reduction of prices, cutting out agents and studying Chinese needs, the article concludes.

Following inquiries made in aviation circles, it was stated that efforts were actually being made to secure group representation, as suggested. Nevertheless, British firms emphasise that the Chinese usually demand prolonged credit, which British firms are unable and unwilling to give.—Our Own Correspondent.

Orders From Belgium

London, Jan. 8. A large order for aero engines has been received by the Rolls Royce Company from the Belgian Government, to be fitted to service aeroplanes under construction in Belgium. Many engines of a similar type are already in use there.—British Wireless.

MAYOR OF NANKING

EXECUTIVE YUAN REJECTS RESIGNATION

Nanking, Jan. 8. The Executive Yuan to-day rejected the resignation of the Mayor of Nanking Shih Ying.

Mr. Shih Ying was given one month's leave to observe the ceremonies in connection with his father's death.

The Mayor resumed his duties last week after a long sick leave. The death of his father on January 4 caused him to present his resignation.—Reuter.

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**TOURIST TRADE'S VALUE
LOCAL BODY NEEDED
TO ENCOURAGE BUSINESS**

By A. Eddy

Travel developments having important possibilities in the future of Hongkong make it expedient for this Colony to organise an official body in order to obtain the fullest possible benefits from the steady stream of gold now passing between the fingers of Hongkong business in the form of tourist traffic. Up to the present time little has been done to retain at least part of this floating wealth for the benefit of Hongkong and the main objective of a Tourist Commission or Travel Association would be to evolve some ways and means whereby to secure from this valuable stream more substantial deposits than we have been getting up to now.

In the beginning of the large-scale tourist movement which commenced shortly after the War and reached its height in 1929, when the combined tourist expenditure of the world exceeded the twelve hundred million gold dollar mark, little discrimination was exercised on the part of travellers in making up their itinerary which invariably included France popularised by the returned British and American soldiers and then the greatest beneficiary of the tourist business. Fifteen years of travel experience, and an extensive advertising campaign instituted by the other European countries, North Africa, the West Indies and Japan, however, have taught the tourists to choose their travel itinerary more carefully with the result that to-day many more countries are getting a share of the golden shower left in the wake of visiting tourists than before.

EUROPE'S EXAMPLE

How fully Europe realises the importance of the tourist traffic can be gauged from the efforts that are now being made by almost all European governments and communities to attract travellers to their shores. There is hardly a place of historic or artistic importance or natural beauty in Europe, which does not possess descriptive literature designed to catch the eye of the travelling public for the purpose of deciding them to visit that particular locality. Most of this work is done by travel associations or tourist commissions under the auspices of the different governments and with the co-operation of the railways and other transportation companies of the country.

Thanks to the growing importance of the Pacific and the extensive advertising campaign sustained by Japan, the eyes of the travel world are slowly but surely turning toward the Far East so far known by comparatively few tourists, and Hongkong, situated on a very busy ocean highway and destined to figure as an important junction in the airways now under organisation all around her, is bound to be favoured by a far superior number of visitors than ever before.

The steady stream of gold now trickling between the fingers of Hongkong will swell into a respectable creek, but of course it will be of very little value to Hongkong unless ways and means are devised to secure some of the valuable deposits which are now settling in other parts of the route due to the efficient means of arresting the attention of world travellers passing through those localities.

ATTRACTING CONVENTIONS

The purpose of a Tourist Commission or Travel Association would be to devise such methods of keeping the travellers in this Colony on their way to points North, South, East and West. In addition to catering to the individual tourists as suggested in a previous article, the job of such a body would be to contact with groups of travellers visiting Japan, North China, Malaya, Dutch East Indies and the Philippines.

There are always conventions and other groups visiting those localities, and an official letter from the Tourist Commission inviting members of such gatherings to visit Hongkong, laying before them detailed itineraries, with complete costs inclusive of all necessary expenses, and programmes drawn up in co-operation with local bodies having similar interests, would, no doubt, in many cases decide groups or at least individuals to fit Hongkong into their travel plan.

In the case of a medical convention in Shanghai, for instance, the Tourist Commission would draw up a tentative programme of enter-

tainment in co-operation with the local Medical Association for a post-convention trip to Hongkong; or in case of a Police Convention in Singapore, for instance, the local Police Department would be requested to offer suggestions, which would be submitted to the prospective visitors, and so on. Hongkong, geographically and climatically admirably suited for convention purposes and possessing ample hotel facilities could herself propose such gatherings for different industries, hotel men or transportation companies operating in the Far East in order to establish a close co-operation among members of the same business.

Educational institutions and clubs in North China, Malaya, Canton and the Philippines could be invited to organise excursions to Hongkong throughout the year. Large tourist parties passing through this port and organisers of such parties could be approached before finally deciding on their itinerary, to stop over in Hongkong for a few days or so by describing the manifold attractions of this Colony and by presenting them detailed and alternative programmes of sight-seeing and cost per head in different classes of hotels. Many of these invitations, of course would not bring results, but many of them would, and a great many efforts which may seem wasted to-day would materialise in future times.

LOCAL ATTRACTIONS

The contention that Hongkong has nothing to offer to visitors is amply contradicted by the increasing number of experienced tour conductors who are now beginning to make Hongkong their headquarters during their visit to South China. To many of us a trip around the Island or New Territories may not be fascinating any more for obvious reasons, but this does not apply to the visitor from overseas or even from North China, Philippines or Malaya. Many of us think that the trip to Canton is a nuisance, but it has a great fascination for most foreign visitors.

A trip to Macao, in favourable weather more beautiful than any strip of similar duration one can undertake anywhere in the Orient, may be a common place experience in our eyes, but it has countless attractions and pleasures for travellers from other parts of the world. Cheung Chau may be very little known to most Hongkong residents, yet the artistically inclined find if one of the most picturesque islands to be found in the seven seas.

For many of us a trip to Paddy's Market may appear a calamity, yet it is a source of great delight and interest to others who regard the rickshaw or sedan chair, which we don't even take notice of, an object of great curiosity which needs photographing over and over again, so that it is simply shortsightedness to judge the whole world according to our own tastes and opinions.

The fact is that, within a radius of hundred miles, Hongkong has the most densely populated, the most colourful and intellectually the most advanced Chinese city; the oldest white settlement in the form of a little bit of Southern Europe transplanted in the East; the birthplace of one of the great historical figures of modern times, and a little bit of old England in an authentic Chinese setting, a total of unusually interesting social, racial, artistic, historical and scenic experiences to offer to foreign visitors.

RESTFUL ATMOSPHERE

The oft-repeated criticism that Hongkong is too slow in amusement facilities may be a matter of discontent to many, but it is a positive blessing to others. The charm of Hongkong in the eyes of the majority of foreign visitors, lies exactly in the fact that no matter what part of the town you are in, a ten minutes' walk or ricksha ride enables you to leave the bustle behind and to enjoy a restful atmosphere which perhaps no other city of the same size can offer you anywhere.

It is a mistake to think that every tourist who comes to Hongkong is out for "wine, women and song". The majority of the travellers are just average persons who take their fun wherever they find it without going out of their way to look for it.

There is one important point which should be made clear to prospective visitors, namely, that South China is just as different from North China as Spain from Norway, and by elaborating this point many travellers can be induced to visit this Colony or to stop over in Hongkong on their way to other points.

The hotels could lend a very valuable co-operation to the Tourist Commission in the way of facilitating all the available information concerning prominent visitors. Social items and snaps sent to the home-town newspapers designated by the visitors themselves would surpass in advertising value anything that may be within the resources of any government or tourist body. In many hotels in Cuba and other points in the West Indies which have been made popular among American tourists through various methods of advertising, the guest finds a short questionnaire in his room leaving it to him whether he wants to fill it in or not. Many of them don't care to do it, but a great many do so with pleasure.

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WANCHAI MURDER

POLICE REFUTE ALLEGATIONS OF VIOLENCE

The allegations made by Li Sing *alias* Li Ying-wa against the Police of violence and threats being used to force him to make a statement, were refuted by Police witnesses when the hearing of the case against the defendant was resumed before Mr. W. Schofield, at the Central Magistracy yesterday afternoon.

The defendant was committed to stand his trial at the next Criminal Sessions on a charge of murder, with others, of Lam Ming in Queen's Road East, on October 28 last year.

Detective Sergeant Fletches recalled, denied having used violence or made threats or promises to defendant from the time he was arrested to the time he was taken to the detective office at the Wanchai Police Station. Witness also denied having squeezed the defendant's neck.

David Wong, interpreter at the Wanchai Police Station, who was also present when the accused was arrested, and who went back to the station in the van with the accused, also said that no violence, nor threats nor promises were used to defendant.

Similar evidence was offered by three other Chinese detectives, Inspector Chu Heung, Sergeant Lo Kwong and Lance Sergeant Ip Sui-sun and Sub-Inspector Rogers, the Inspector on duty when the defendant was brought into the station.

The accused reserved his defence, and Mr. Schofield then committed him to stand his trial at the next Criminal Sessions.

of the visitor, his impression of the place and the name of a newspaper or periodical in his home town where a short item regarding his visit or a snap may be sent in for publication. The result is wide publicity among his friends and valuable advertising for that particular hotel at the cost of a stamp.

It is easy to appreciate that systematic work of this kind would produce important increase in the number of travellers who would want to visit Hongkong in the course of their trip to the Orient.

The abolition of visa charges for *bona fide* tourists and the extension of the time limit for reporting to the Police, to two weeks, would undoubtedly help to promote the movement of travellers toward Hongkong thus more than compensating for the comparatively insignificant loss in passport charges.

Broadly speaking, the task of a Tourist Commission would be to promote travel to Hongkong. Besides carrying out detail work such as described in a previous article and outlined above, a very important objective of the Tourist Commission would be to promote the creation of new arteries of travel.

AERIAL DEVELOPMENT

Here is the very far-reaching question of aerial development for instance, which is of great importance for the future of the Colony. No doubt that if a Tourist Commission, representing the travel interests and merchants of the Colony officially approaches the Government in order to solicit its good offices for the purpose of securing the services of the different airways for Hongkong, the Government will pay more attention to such a request than to suggestions coming from a private person.

Experience shows that advertising has been a most important factor in augmenting the number of visitors to the different pleasure resorts, and Hongkong, far more beautiful and interesting than many of the famous show places of the world, swarming with tourists, needs a little advertising effort to help her to become the playground of the Orient and an obligatory stop-over for world travellers.

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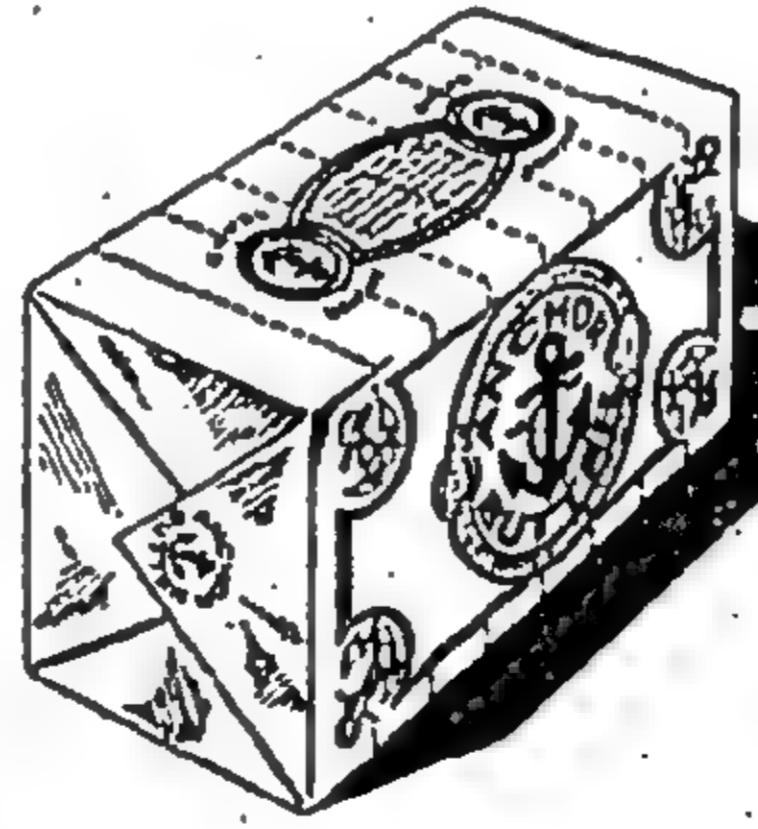
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NOTES OF THE DAY

DOMINION'S EXPEDIMENT

The purpose designed to be served by the creation of a Central Bank in Canada is that it will contribute directly and indirectly to the national economic welfare. Mr. E. N. Rhodes, the Minister of Finance, has had a brochure prepared, giving a conception of the purposes which the Central Bank will serve. The function of the new currency is to belong to the Central Bank once it is in being. The explanation is that unification of the note issue will make possible a better adjustment between the supply of currency and the business demands for it. Moreover, the hope is that it will mean greater elasticity in the currency system, while still maintaining the integrity of the monetary standard. It is proposed to transfer to the Central Bank the gold now held by the Department of Finance and by the chartered banks. That gold will be held as reserve against the legal tender notes and the deposit liabilities of the Bank of Canada, and indirectly of the whole banking system. In other words, the total stocks of gold in the country will be concentrated under a single authority, which will be charged with the responsibility of seeing that Canada's monetary reserves are adequate.

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ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

Mr. Kwok Siu Lau begs to thank his many friends for their kind enquiries, and especially those Professors of the Hongkong University and other friends who had personally attended and assisted him during and after an accident yesterday. He desires to inform his friends that he was fortunate enough to escape from any injury, and to convey to them his appreciation of their kindness.

The Hongkong Telegraph.

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 9, 1935.

ADVERTISING HONGKONG

The question of the more adequate advertising of Hongkong as a tourists' or travellers' resort, which has periodically arisen in recent times, is taken a step further to-day by the suggestion made by a contributor that the time has come for some definite action to be taken in the matter. It is urged, with considerable cogency, that this Colony should follow the example of other centres by instituting a Tourist Commission or Travel Association, whose duty it would be to explore all avenues in endeavouring to attract visitors to the Colony. Obviously if Hongkong is to take this matter up at all seriously, there must be brought into being some organisation comparable to those which function with such success in other parts of the world. In particular, there should be a steady flow of attractively-designed descriptive literature. We have to look no further than Japan to see what can be done in this direction. Admittedly, Hongkong cannot be compared in size with that country, but, none the less, it does possess, within smaller limits, practically all the attractions which Japan has to offer. Its scenic beauties and variety of interests are invariably the subject of admiration on the part of visitors to our shores, but its claims to recognition are left largely to the good opinions passed on by such visitors coupled with a limited measure of advertising by shipping and other concerns. The point is that no really big organised effort is made to secure for the Colony the benefits which it ought to enjoy from its undoubtedly assets. Hence the necessity of the establishment of a representative body charged with such work. The matter was raised during the recent Budget debate, but the Government appeared to be indisposed to embark on anything in the nature of an official organisation due to the cost involved. At the same time, it was intimated that the authorities would be prepared to consider any scheme which responsible bodies might put forward. The presumption is that if definite steps were taken in the direction of the creation of a Tourist Bureau, the Government, whilst not prepared to undertake the venture itself, would be willing to give it some measure of financial support. With this point in

PRINCE'S TRIBUTE

Most great men of history have suffered at the hands of critics, contemporary and otherwise. The late Field Marshal Earl Haig was one of them. Among the most prominent of his post-War cavaliers is Mr. David Lloyd George who has condemned the strategy of Earl Haig in the Passchendaele offensive. But among the most ardent of the defenders of the memory of this soldier is one of Britain's Princes, the Duke of Kent. He says: "This great soldier, Marshal Haig, in life received and kept the unwavering loyalty of his men. In death his name is held in high regard, owing to his self-sacrifice and untiring work on behalf of the disabled soldier, the widow, and the orphan child. In life he practised the ideals he inspired and embodied in the Legion's constitution. These are: A sense of loyalty to state and nation, the promotion of unity among all classes and a consecration of comradeship by devotion to mutual service and helpfulness."

mind, it now behoves shipping and hotel companies, and others interested, to get together and endeavour to work out some concrete plan. With the probability that Hongkong will in the near future enjoy contact with outside aerial services, the desirability of advertising its attractions to travellers becomes more than ever necessary. We commend the matter to the serious attention of all interests who are likely to benefit therefrom, feeling assured that a rich harvest can be reaped, provided the seed is liberally sown.

SECRET TERMS OF TANGKU TRUCE

(SPECIAL TO "TELEGRAPH")

This is the third of a series of four articles reviewing and analysing events in the developments Japan's advance into North China, with emphasis on present trends. This deals with the so-called "secret terms" of the Tangku Armistice and Japan's commercial ambitions in North China.

Peking.

It is safe to say that no one not privy to the discussions at Tangku will ever know exactly what constituted the supplementary, unpublished agreements arrived at by the delegates who arranged the Armistice. By now, however, the ingenious nature of these agreements has become apparent.

There were, it appears, no "secret terms" in the exact sense of the words. Rather, it seems certain that the delegates agreed that future negotiations must take place concerning certain important problems. Although left unsaid, it was obvious that such agreements presaged solutions satisfactory to the director of the terms of the truce—Japan.

The world, even China, anticipated that an agreement permitting the cessation of hostilities would be reached. But if Japan had taken advantage of the opportunity to press openly for complete settlement of outstanding issues at the time, she would undoubtedly have over-played her hand, with perhaps the same unsatisfactory results as when she presented her famous Twenty-One Demands in 1915. By simply ensuring future negotiations on the questions, Japan thus was left free to press for satisfactory solutions at opportune moments, it quiet and unobtrusive fashion.

doing this without, in their own opinion, extending *de facto* recognition to Manchukuo, the customs stations were established as soon as passes were relinquished to nominal Chinese jurisdiction by the Japanese troops, for the Chinese wanted protection from the quantities of Japanese goods being shipped through the Wall duty free. Not conceding that they represent a frontier, the Chinese maintain that the customs stations along the Great Wall are in reality the Manchurian units of the Chinese Customs Service driven from their rightful positions by an invading army and set up merely along the high-water mark of the invasion. Native Manchurian goods are admitted duty free, as being in reality domestic Chinese Goods. It is common knowledge in Peking, however, that due to the presence of Japanese troops in and immediately north of the Wall passes, the customs stations are unable to cope with many situations that arise.

The past eighteen months have witnessed the first fruits of this policy, and have to some extent revealed which problems were included in the quasi-agreements.

The first of these was of immediate importance, the restoration of through-traffic between Mukden and Peking. Traffic on the British-built Peking-Mukden Railway was interrupted during the Japanese conquest of Manchuria. The conquest over, and Shantung, seen end of the Great Wall, in their hands, the Japanese proceeded to open traffic on the northern half of the line. Actual operation was in charge of the Japanese South Manchuria Railway. When not prevented by bandit actions in the Demilitarised Zone, the Chinese Government operated trains over the southern half as far as Shantung.

Following secret negotiations over several months, through-traffic was finally restored on July 1, 1934. All through-traffic arrangements, sale of tickets and the like, were taken over by a joint Sino-Japanese concern formed by the Japan Tourist Bureau and the China Travel Service. Significantly, the details of the arrangements permitted South Manchuria Railway trains to operate directly into Peking, as half the trains used are contributed by the Japanese, half by the Chinese. That the Japanese sent the very best available rolling stock in these trains is an amusing sidelight on the Japanese propaganda-advertising programme. Foreigners in China comment most favourably upon these trains.

The second problem tackled was the establishment of Chinese Government customs stations at various passes along the Great Wall. Once the Chinese found a way of

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By Juliet Lowell

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Art And Life Dept.

"The 262ft. chromium-plated statue of Lenin which is to crown the 1,382ft. Palace of the Soviets in Moscow on the site of the demolished Cathedral of Christ the Saviour has been approved by the Central Executive." —News Item.

A gigantic companion statue of Karl ("Duck Soup") Marx, chromium-plated trousers and all, with the original whiskers, was rejected because of the showers of birdseed which fell every time people tried to get chocolate out of it.

Dumb Friends' Corner

The Bill to be promoted in Parliament shortly to preserve the South Downs will include the provision of a bird sanctuary for female novelists and a sort of Sussex Whipsnade for the male kind:

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The Social Round

Soon we shall all be packing our rifles and departing for the moors (wrote our London Correspondent some months ago; the airmail letter is just to hand). But London is enjoying a final burst of frolic are the emptiness of August descends on her. There have been so many dances and cocktail parties, this last week, that one has not known which way to turn.

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In Pall Mall I ran into Lord Fool, bronzed like some oriental statue. "Just back from the Levant," I asked. Fool laughed heartily. "Not a bit," he said. "Haven't been out of town. I'm advertising Amberton, the new vitamin skinwash. In bottles, 1s. 8d. and 3s. 6d. I advise you to take the larger size."

It does one good to see an aristocrat like Fool "buckling to" and earning his living. He was at my tutors', of course.

Another of the "world's workers" is Gazelle Spannoring, who is travelling in the new, invisible stockings. They are so invisible that you literally might just as well not wear them; and, indeed, most girls don't. Gazelle has developed a powerful line of sales talk and when "on the job" is quite unbearable. Her mother is a prominent flag-day worker and has a useful collection of stuffed babies.

First Test Match With West Indies

BATSMEN FARE BADLY

VERY STICKY WICKET

Barbados, Jan. 8. The first official cricket Test Match ever to be played on West Indies soil, opened to-day, when on a sticky wicket, the West Indies were dismissed for 102 and England lost her first five wickets for 81 runs.

R.E.S. Wyatt won the toss, but after an inspection of the turf wicket, which was obviously very tricky after recent rains, decided to put the West Indies in.

Five thousand people were present at the start, and saw the West Indies collapse against the bowling of Kenneth Farnes, Paine and Hollies.

The only batsman to make any impression was Headley, and he remained at the wicket two hours to score a gallant and stout 44. Indication of how subdued he had to remain is given in the fact that he scored only two boundaries.

Kenneth Farnes had a wonderful spell of bowling before lunch, his kicking deliveries earning him four wickets for 16 runs. In his second spell he was hit about, and finally conceded 40 runs.

HARD TO HIT

Hollies, who came on late in the innings, bowled a very fine length and upset the batsmen with his leg-breaks. Paine was even more difficult to play with his excellent flighting and puzzling spin.

England fared almost as badly as the West Indies, and but for Hammond would have been in a very bad way. The Gloucester batsman played characteristic cricket to score 43 and remain unbeaten, but Wyatt, Leyland, Hendren and Ames all failed. At the close England were 21 runs in arrears with five wickets in hand.

Scores:

WEST INDIES—1ST. INNS.

	O	M	R	Wkts
Roach, c Paine, b Farnes	9	0	0	40
Carew, c Holmes, b Farnes	0	0	0	44
Headley, not out	4	3	8	0
Jones, c Leyland, b Farnes	3	0	0	2
Sealy, c Paine, b Farnes	0	0	0	36
Grant, Hendren, b Hollies	4	0	0	36
Rolfe-Grant, c Hammond, b Hollies	5	0	0	14
Hilton, st Ames, b Paine	15	0	0	0
Christiansen, run out	0	0	0	0
Achong, st Ames, b Paine	0	0	0	0
Martindale, c Leyland, b Paine	0	0	0	0
Extras	4	0	0	0
Total	102	0	0	0

Bowling Analysis

	O	M	R	Wkts
Farnes	15	4	40	0
Smith	7	3	8	0
Hollies	10	4	36	2
Paine	9	3	14	0

ENGLAND—1ST. INNS.

	O	M	R	Wkts
R.E.S. Wyatt, c Rolfe-Grant, b Martindale	8	0	0	0
Leyland, b Martindale	3	0	0	0
Hammond, not out	43	0	0	0
Hendren, c Rolfe-Grant, b Martindale	3	0	0	0
Ames, l.b.w. Rolfe-Grant	8	0	0	0
Smith & Jones, b Hilton	0	0	0	0
Iddon, not out	14	0	0	0
Extras	2	0	0	0

(For 5 wickets)

BUBONIC PLAGUE IN FUKIEN

WIDE AREA ALREADY AFFECTED

Foochow, Jan. 9. The Foochow Government has received a message from Northern Fukien stating that bubonic plague has broken out in Sung-chi and Chingho Districts and is threatening to spread over a wider area. Hundreds of inhabitants have been infected.

Sanitary corps are being rushed to the affected districts by the Foochow Government to fight the epidemic. *Central News.*

SUN FO MEETS FENG

Tai'an, Jan. 9. Mr. Sun Fo, President of the Legislative Yuan, who passed here yesterday on his trip back to Nanking from Peking, called on General Feng Yu-hsiang at his mountain lodge on Taishan Mountain and held a lengthy talk with him on national problems. The Christian General has been in retirement here for a considerable time. *Central News.*

Russian Rail Crash Toll

TWENTY-FIVE NOW KNOWN DEAD

Moscow, Jan. 8. The casualties in the Moscow-Leningrad express disaster have now reached 23 dead, while 56 more are badly injured.

The collision is said to have been due to inefficiency and carelessness of certain railway workers. The stationmaster at the station where the disaster occurred was arrested when leaving his post after the crash. *Reuter.*

PARTY POLITICS A MENACE

WOULD MEAN REAL DISRUPTION

London, Jan. 8. At Conference of the Federation of University Conservative Associations, which opened in Edinburgh to-day, Mr. John Buchan, Member of Parliament for the Scottish Universities, read a message from the Prime Minister, who wrote:

"Our Parliamentary system has always provided for division of opinion upon ways and measures, but an underlying unity upon national purpose. The National Government must reflect that system. There must be unity upon aims and a wholesome variety of opinion about methods, a variety which keeps the national effort from stagnating. Party politics means national disruption to-day." *British Wireless.*

BENEFITS OF BOXER INDEMNITY FUND

LARGE SUM SPENT IN BRITAIN

Nanking, Jan. 9. According to an official report, purchases of materials through the Chinese Purchase Committee in London for various economic enterprises in China were estimated at the end of last year at a total value of well over £2,000,000, which was entirely appropriated from the Returned British Boxer Indemnity Funds.

The total amount of funds now at the disposal of the Material Purchase Committee is £1,000,000, in addition to interest accrued from investments. *Central News.*

INDIA REFORM BILL.

London, Jan. 8. The Secretary for India, Sir Samuel Hoare, had an interview with the Prime Minister to-day with regard to the new Indian Constitution Bill. It is anticipated that the second reading of this measure will be moved in the Commons during the second week in February, and that the debate will occupy three or four days. *British Wireless.*

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

WE SHOULD NEVER CREATE BY LAW WHAT CAN BE ACCOMPLISHED BY MORALITY.—Montesquieu.

A badly-timed dynamite charge exploded while being lowered from a boat fishing off Cheng Yee, New Territories, yesterday, and caused severe injuries to the man who was handling it. The victim, Cheung Lee, was removed to the Kowloon Hospital, his face and hands frightfully lacerated.

For wearing their hats in the Central Police Court this morning, two men, Li Fun and Chan Ten-wun, were fined one dollar each by Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones. Both were unable to pay the fine and were detained in the Court cells below until the Court rose. Li Fun stated that he came to Court "for a walk," while the other stated that his cousin had been charged with a hawking offence.

Arrested in Jordan Road on Monday with the possession of 32 counterfeit ten-cent pieces, Chou Kong, aged 26, unemployed, was sentenced to 10 months' imprisonment when he appeared before Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning. The defendant was also charged with uttering a counterfeit ten-cent piece to Pan Shun-Kei, a shop master, at 361 Nathan Road on Sunday. Defendant pleaded guilty to both charges. Detective-Sergeant Franklin prosecuted.

Appearing before Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning Lam Shun, unemployed, was charged with the unlawful possession of 20 bars of soap. Sub-Inspector Portallion stated that defendant was seen by a Chinese constable in Siu Yeung Choi Street at 4.05 p.m. yesterday. The defendant alleged that he had been engaged by a man to carry the soap to a house in Fa Yuen Street. The defendant was discharged.

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Banking Corporation had been

endorsed twice by the same

person representing two firms,

and, further, that a comrade

order had been negotiated through the same bank.

In this case, however, witness

said he had interviewed the two

parties concerned and had satisfied himself as to the validity of

the transaction.

The hearing is proceeding.

TREATY BREACH CHARGE

JAPAN'S ACTIONS QUERIED

SENATOR'S DEMANDS

Washington, Jan. 8. Senator William King, Democrat, Utah, to-day moved a resolution proposing an investigation by the Senate Foreign Relations Committee to determine whether or not Japan had violated the Kellogg Pact or the Nine Power Treaty by her invasion of Manchuria. These agreements had been made to guarantee the integrity of China, he pointed out.

Furthermore, Senator King demanded investigation by the same Committee of charges that "Japan is fortifying or has fortified" mandated islands in the Pacific.

There have been rumours abroad that Japan would refuse to surrender her mandate in these islands and that she was secretly fortifying them in contravention of all recent agreements. *Reuter.*

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MRS. KAYLL BEATS MISS HANCOCK IN TWO SETS

OUR "FORM" GUIDE

How Your Team Has Been Faring In League

The following table reveals how each team in the four divisions of the English league have fared to date, the results including their last five more matches up to yesterday.

The first figure in each case, of course, is that of the team concerned.

FIRST DIVISION.

Birmingham	0-2	1-2	0-4	2-2	0-0
Derby C.	1-5	3-0	1-1	2-2	1-1
Leeds	1-1	1-2	0-3	3-3	1-1
Aston Villa	1-1	0-2	0-3	2-2	1-1
Chelsea	2-1	2-0	3-0	1-1	0-1
Middlesb.	1-2	2-2	3-3	2-0	3-0
Leicester	1-1	0-1	3-2	1-3	1-0
Liverpool	3-2	2-2	2-0	0-2	0-2
Portsmouth	3-6	0-0	3-1	1-1	1-0
Preston	1-2	3-5	2-1	1-3	2-2
Wednesday	2-1	4-0	1-1	2-1	1-0
Sunderland	2-3	2-0	7-0	3-0	0-0
Tottenham	0-3	2-1	2-5	0-2	0-0
West Bromwich	3-0	0-3	2-3	1-2	0-3
Wolves	5-0	0-1	0-3	3-1	0-0
Blackburn	0-0	1-3	2-0	2-0	1-5
Arsenal	1-3	5-1	1-2	1-1	2-0
Grimbaba	3-1	3-0	1-2	3-1	0-1
Stoke	4-1	0-3	3-4	1-1	0-0
Huddersfield	1-4	3-0	3-2	3-3	0-0
Gyerton	6-2	0-7	5-2	2-2	2-2
Manchester C.	0-6	2-1	3-3	3-2	0-1

OUR FORECAST ENGLISH CUP MATCHES

The following is the special Telegraph forecast for Saturday's English Cup, and English and Scottish League programmes.

ENGLISH CUP (Third Round)

WEDNESDAY	v Oldham	Reading
Aldershot	v Blackpool	Stockport
LEICESTER	v Stockport	Huddersfield
West Ham	v Huddersfield	ARSENAL
Burnley	v ARSENAL	Millfield
Brighton	v Millfield	LIVERPOOL
BURNLEY	v LIVERPOOL	YEOVIL
Yeovil	v YEOVIL	Northampton
Northampton	v Northampton	MILLWALL
Wigan	v MILLWALL	MANCHESTER U.
WIGAN	v MANCHESTER U.	WIGAN
MANCHESTER U.	v WIGAN	WIGAN
Brentford	v Oldham	WIGAN
Brentford	v Oldham	WIGAN
Burnley	v Oldham	WIGAN
Bury	v Oldham	WIGAN
Wigan	v Oldham	WIGAN
WIGAN	v Oldham	WIGAN
Manchester C.	v Oldham	WIGAN
NOTTS F.	v Oldham	WIGAN
Oldham	v Oldham	WIGAN
Port Vale	v Oldham	WIGAN
Barnsley	v Oldham	WIGAN
Norwich	v Oldham	WIGAN
Southampton	v Oldham	WIGAN
Blackpool	v Oldham	WIGAN
Plymouth	v Oldham	WIGAN
Bradford C.	v Oldham	WIGAN
Newcastle	v Oldham	WIGAN
Sheffield U.	v Oldham	WIGAN
Notts C.	v Oldham	WIGAN
Hull	v Oldham	WIGAN
West Ham	v Oldham	WIGAN

THIRD DIVISION (NORTH)	v STOKE	STOKE
Aldershot	v STOKE	STOKE
Brighton	v STOKE	STOKE
Bristol C.	v STOKE	STOKE
Cardiff	v STOKE	STOKE
Clapton O.	v STOKE	STOKE
Coventry	v STOKE	STOKE
Eccles	v STOKE	STOKE
Gillingham	v STOKE	STOKE
Goton	v STOKE	STOKE
Swindon	v STOKE	STOKE
Crystal P.	v STOKE	STOKE
Bristol R.	v STOKE	STOKE
Watford	v STOKE	STOKE
Charlton	v STOKE	STOKE
Reading	v STOKE	STOKE
Northampton	v STOKE	STOKE
Newport	v STOKE	STOKE
Torquay	v STOKE	STOKE
Southern	v STOKE	STOKE
Queen's P.R.	v STOKE	STOKE
Bournemouth	v STOKE	STOKE
Millwall	v STOKE	STOKE

THIRD DIVISION (NORTH)	v STOKE	STOKE
Accrington	v STOKE	STOKE
Crewe	v STOKE	STOKE
Darlington	v STOKE	STOKE
Gateshead	v STOKE	STOKE
Hallifax	v STOKE	STOKE
Lincoln	v STOKE	STOKE
Motherwell	v STOKE	STOKE
Stockport	v STOKE	STOKE
Tranmere	v STOKE	STOKE
Walsall	v STOKE	STOKE
Wrexham	v STOKE	STOKE
New Brighton	v STOKE	STOKE
Doncaster	v STOKE	STOKE
York	v STOKE	STOKE
Cheltenham	v STOKE	STOKE
Malvern	v STOKE	STOKE
Redditch	v STOKE	STOKE
Chesterfield	v STOKE	STOKE
Southport	v STOKE	STOKE
Carlisle	v STOKE	STOKE
Hartlepool	v STOKE	STOKE
Barrow	v STOKE	STOKE

NEW L.B.W. RULE To Be Used By South African Tourists

In a telegram received to-day by the M.C.C., the South African Cricket Board of Control stated that the new L.B.W. rule will apply to all matches played by South African teams in England.—Reuters

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An exciting moment around St. Joseph's goal during last Saturday's match against South China "B" in the Senior Shield. Elmie is seen attempting to intercept a shot, while Wong shapes for the ball. —Photo

AS I SEE IT

BY "VERITAS"

CHINA AND THE 1935 DAVIS CUP

OPPORTUNITY LATENT TALENT FOR YOUNGSTERS TO ONLY REQUIRE SHINE WHICH EXPERIENCE

CHINA Amateur Athletic National Federation's announcement that China would this year participate in the Davis Cup, and that Mr. Ng Sze-kwong, Hongkong's former tennis champion, had been asked to act as non-playing captain, has not yet been backed by any other official statement. Nevertheless the matter has by no means been shelved. There is a distinct possibility of Mr. Ng Sze-kwong going to Shanghai in the near future to discuss matters with the Federation Officials, and already he is busy compiling his own list of Probables and Possibles.

MAY HELP TO CREATE NEW ZONE

THE big obstacle in the way of competing in the Davis is the huge financial outlay demanded. So far as China is concerned, the team, if any, entered in the competition this year, will be backed by the Government. Even so it is more than likely that when the candidates for China's team assemble in Shanghai, opportunity will be taken of their trial games to raise revenue to assist in the heavy expenses. The tennis world generally will applaud China if she finally decides again to take part in the International tournament, and what is more interesting, her re-entry may do quite a lot towards speeding up the proposed formation of a Far Eastern Zone. The International Federation have already approved in principle of the creation of such a zone, and it only needs countries like China, the Philippines, Indo-China, etc., to give practical support, for this zone to come into effect.

Besides, what about the amateur clubs? The majority of them could not afford to pay two officials."

NO "INSPECTOR" YET.

If the two referees idea is made permanent it might be incorporated in the rules as a "permissive" law.

In that way the clubs concerned in a match would agree whether or not to have one or two referees.

The F.A. Council referred back to the Referees Committee the proposal that Cup ties from the third round of this season's competition should be attended by a member of the committee for the purpose of reporting on the referee and linesmen.

It was agreed, however, that each competing club shall, within four days after each tie, send to the F.A. secretary a statement in writing of the manner in which they consider the referee and linesmen have discharged their duties.

By increasing her steadiness, Miss Hancock recovered to level up in the twelfth, but it was purely a reprieve, and Mrs. Kayll, playing a really good brand of tennis, captured the set 8-6.

Miss Hancock's bad knee was obviously making itself felt in the second set. She was much slower about the court, but countered this somewhat by excellent anticipation, and skill-in keeping Mrs. Kayll pegged back to the baseline. The upshot was long rallies which often ended in Miss Hancock's favour on error by the winner.

The second set, however, was featured by the wholesale loss of services. Mrs. Kayll started by

TO ENTER OPEN TENNIS SINGLES FINAL HARD HITTING DISPLAYS FROM BASELINE

MISS HANCOCK'S LACK OF STROKE EQUIPMENT

(By "Veritas")

Mrs. Kayll, potential winner of the Hongkong Open Ladies Singles tennis championship, qualified for the final yesterday, when she defeated Miss Rosamund Hancock, last year's finalist, in two straight sets, 8-6, 6-4.

The match was played at the U.S.R.C. on a very fast court, and hard-hitting baseline exchanges were favoured by the players.

Mrs. Kayll won chiefly because she was better equipped in strokes, and as a result she will meet Miss Madge Griffiths, of the K.C.C., in the final, to be played this Saturday.

IMMATURE COURT CRAFT

Yesterday's match was probably the best to date in a disappointing tournament. Miss Hancock, somewhat handicapped by the recurrence of an old knee injury sustained in England last year, put up a very fine display, driving with great power. But her very immature court craft was a long way to destroying her chances of winning. Her only strokes were a backhand and torchand drive, both of which were excellently produced and from which she obtained the maximum of pace. But in length, direction and pace she lacked variety and imagination and allowed Mrs. Kayll plenty of time in which to position herself and make the return shot.

Miss Hancock's best shot was a low drive down the sidelines. Her production too, was excellent, and she hit much harder, but with less control, than Mrs. Kayll off the ground. If Miss Hancock were to develop a sound volley and overhead, and a supplementary spin stroke or two, she would undoubtedly win the local tennis crown.

At the moment, against such an experienced match player as Mrs. Kayll, she finds her best shots easily taken, because the same stroke is so often repeated.

Mrs. Kayll did not begin to touch form until Miss Hancock had established a long lead in the first set. In an attempt to find the sidelines she pulled her forehand and landed the ball in the tramlines. Her early excursions to the net were also signally unsuccessful, and when Miss Hancock went into a 5-2 lead, it looked as though the first set would go to her on errors.

After this Mrs. Kayll made a very fine recovery. Her backhand became merely defensive, but she attacked strongly on the forehand, and by acquiring control, was able to place the ball more accurately. She tempted Miss Hancock up to mid-court, luring her opponent into over-hitting, or found the baseline corners so that she could go up to the net and finish off.

By such methods she took the next two games, and the Miss Hancock on the defensive

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TARLETON POUNDED BUT WINS**Peril Of Queen's Park Rangers****READY TO SELL PLAYERS**

In the ranks of London professional Soccer a big sensation has been caused by the announcement that Queen's Park Rangers are prepared to transfer any of the players on the books of the club if a satisfactory offer is received. This is not a common practice, but the early dismissal of the Rangers from the Cup competition has made the position of the club a very critical one. There are over 30 players on the books.

A DEFINITE DECISION

Commenting on the gravity of the situation and calling on supporters to rally round at a crisis, Mr. Jack Royer a director of the club, said:

The directors have definitely made up their minds that unless they can get the necessary finance by selling their players, they are up against a big problem. In my opinion, this serious state of affairs with the Rangers is the forerunner of many other similar instances in the near future.

Last season, although we were runners-up, we made a loss on the year's working. To make Third Division football pay in London "gates" of 20,000 are absolutely necessary. To keep the club going, we must take a £1,000 "gate" every other Saturday.

A sixth of that goes in Entertainment Tax, there are bonuses to players to be considered, and players with London clubs have to be paid far more than £5 or £6 a week, as is the case with many Third Division clubs in the provinces.

"PAY, PAY, PAY"

Well, we are not getting such "gates" or anything like them, and our departure from the Cup competition has brought about a crisis.

It is a matter of "Pay, pay, pay," and the directors are constantly dipping their hands into their pockets. We are ready to sell any of our players; how many depend upon their market value.

We might sell Joe Devine for, say, a thousand pounds, but what would probably happen? Our "gates" with a "star" player absent, would probably depreciate about £50 a match for the remainder of the season.

MR. C. H. Bates, another director, said that the decision did not mean that the Rangers were destined to get rid of the whole team. The directors had done their best but could not put any more money into the club.

DANCE CONTEST**Yesterday's Heat Winners**

The Hongkong Dance Championships which are being conducted at the Hongkong Hotel Roof Garden, again attracted a large audience last evening. In yesterday's heat, in which a number of couples competed, the winners were as follows:

By Judge's decision:-
No. 7: M. Drysdale and Miss G. Hing.

By Popular Vote:-
No. 3: Lau Kwok Cheong and Miss Ma Po Chun.

Further eliminating contests will be held each afternoon during the whole of this week. The final will be on Sunday, January 18.

Andrew and Ursula will continue to give demonstrations in the afternoons.

SLEDGE-HAMMER CROWLEY**Protests At Big Fight**

(By Fred Dartnell)

London, Dec. 11. Nel Tarleton, of Liverpool, last night retained the British feather-weight title and winning the Lonsdale belt for the third time, made it his own property.

He defeated Dave Crowley, of Clerkenwell, on points over a grueling fifteen rounds.

Lord Lansdale presented the belt to Tarleton and congratulated both the boxers on an interesting fight.

BATTLE OF STYLES

It was a good fight although the first few rounds proved rather uninteresting. It was a battle of styles, and while Tarleton was the more skilful in the end, I think most credit goes to Crowley for putting the colour of aggressiveness into the various exchanges.

Outreached and several inches shorter in height, the Londoner forced the issue from beginning to end. His persistent punching seemed like affecting Tarleton's policy.

The Liverpool man had to be careful and he took the safest way as a rule. He was inclined to wait too much and although he must have scored a lot of points by his countering to Crowley's inward rushes, there were times when he was caught napping through his inactivity.

IN-FIGHTING

In boxing, swift and tense, made a vivid contrast to the hot, impulsive methods of Crowley.

The Londoner is not a master of finesse yet. He loves the inner clash of battle. At close quarters his two hands played a fierce tattoo on the body, and ribs of his opponent.

To be frank I thought that Crowley had merited the verdict where the fight otherwise was so even for his greater forcing.

He made the fight the crisp, sharp-cut business it was. In the eighth round he had a bad time, it was then for the first occasion that Tarleton thought of bringing into play the upper-cut for dealing with his rival's.

Crowley took much punishment that way, but in the next round he swung the fortunes right over.

CLASH!—TO THE JAW

Tarleton had scored with several fibbing lefts and was inclined to open out when suddenly Crowley sprang in with a right swing to the jaw.

The champion staggered, and if Crowley had followed his advantage up with greater determination I should not care to say what would have happened.

Following this round came a disturbance between the referee and the chief second of Crowley.

The referee had been protesting about the suggested use of vaseline on the challenger's body, and when the fighters came up for the tenth round the verdict was held up.

Fortunately the incident smoothed itself out.

In the eleventh round a loose lace on Tarleton's right glove cut Crowley on top of the head, and blood flowed. But this did not materially affect his showing.

The lad has a bit of backchat in the next round, but with humour restored they boxed more to

Kaye Don To Race Again**AT WHEEL AFTER HIS RELEASE**

London, Dec. 14. Mr. Kaye Don, the racing motorist, was released from Douglas Gaol, Isle of Man, yesterday morning. He had served ten weeks and two days of his sentence of four months for the manslaughter of his mechanic, Francis Taylor, last May, while testing a car for the Mannin races.

On landing at Liverpool shortly after 1.30 with his wife he took the wheel of his car and drove off. It was understood that he was to travel by road to London.

He expressed his intention of returning to the Isle of Man in the spring to take part in the Manx races.

Mr. Kaye Don intends to stay in London for a short period, and then, with Mrs. Don, visit his wife's parents in Florida.

His health has caused anxiety. Physically he is sound, but his nervous condition is such that a breakdown was feared, and he will take the advice of specialists.

It is stated unofficially that ill-health is the reason for Mr. Don's release.

At the end of this week Mr. Kaye Don will be the guest of honour at a "come-back" dinner to be arranged by racing friends.

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Gent's Silk stockings (Shanghai make) \$1.00 for 4 prs.
Gent's British make woolen stockings 75 cts. pr.
Gent's all wool pullovers \$1.15 each
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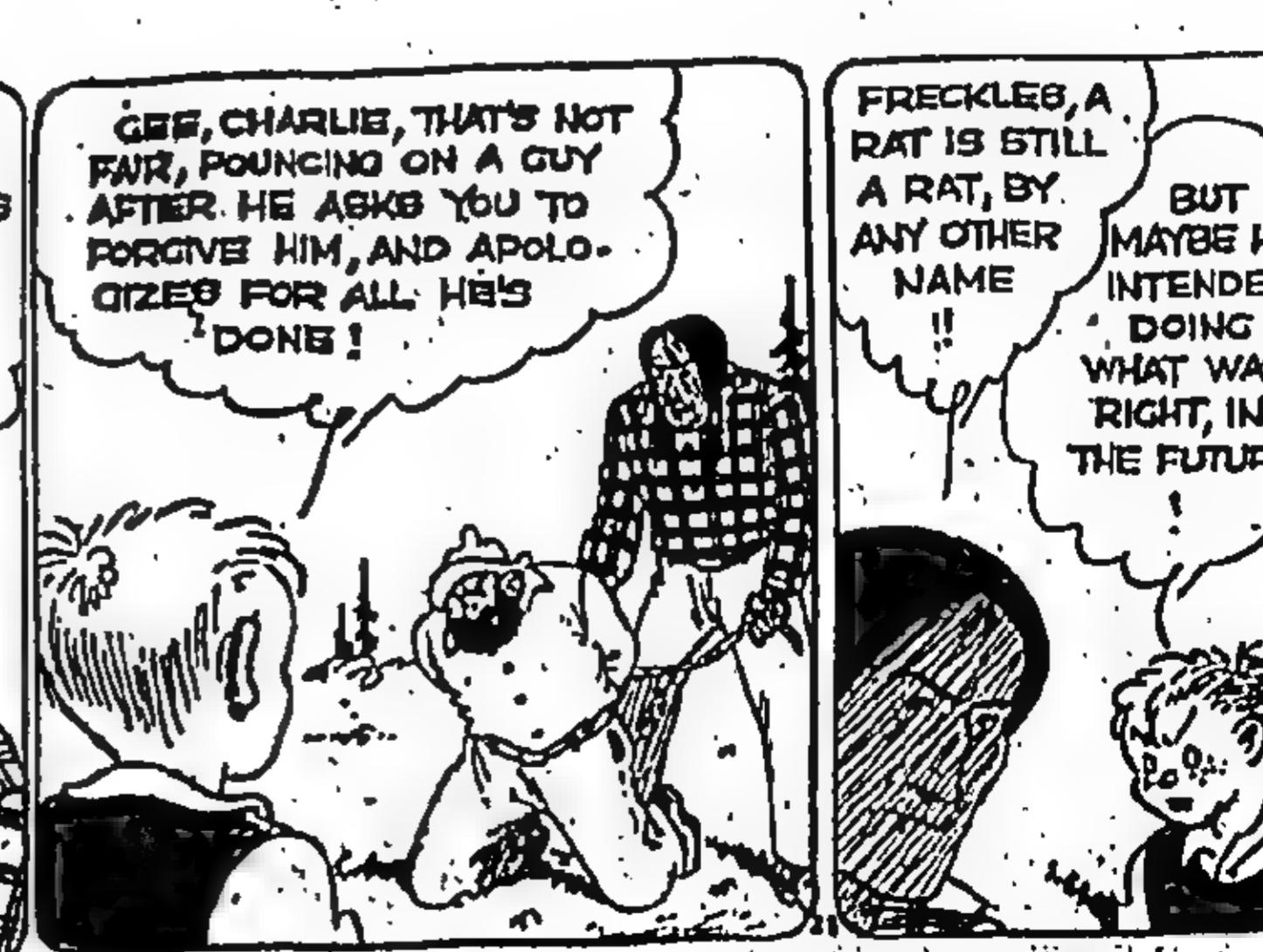
Shanghai, Jan. 8.

The China Merchants' Steam Navigation Company, it is reported,

has decided to exclude Hongkong from the itinerary of the Hai Chen, Hai Lee and Hai Heng, three of the four vessels just built in England.

The reason is stated to be the pilotage restrictions by the Colony authorities.—Reuter.

By Blosser

Indian Wisdom!

SECRET TERMS OF TANGKU TRUCE

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Tives of the two ministries lend colour to the expectation that a direct arrangement will eventually be made.

With the completion of agreements on the through-traffic, customs and postal questions, the first group of "demands" arising out of the Tangku Armistice can be regarded as settled. With the exception of the customs service, they have merely served to restore conditions to the situation obtaining before the Sino-Japanese hostilities.

From this point the negotiations in North China enter a new phase, one which presages the rapid expansion of Japanese commercial interests in North China. Chinese assert that with the negotiations which have followed the signing of the Armistice, and particularly with regard to those apparently being instituted now, Japan is carrying out the "second step" of her continental policy. The scope of this "second step" it is impossible to ascertain. Perhaps the best appraisal is that of a usually well-informed Chinese writer who stated that "the Japanese have presented or would present" a series of six "demands." Three of them deal with the problems already discussed—railway traffic, customs and posts. The others are:

"Right to open Manchukuo-North China air services."

"Right to invest capital (presumably on an exclusive basis) in several proposed new railways in North China, principally in Hopei and Shantung. One of these is the Tsinan-Shanteh Railway mentioned in the original Twenty-One Demands."

"Right to invest capital in North China industries, chiefly mines, the cotton and woolen industries, and the establishment of a currency organ in North China."

Unofficial Japanese and Chinese circles agree that the first of these has already been granted, and that an extension of the Tokyo-Mukden air line will shortly be made to Peking, and even down into Shantung. This being so, and in view of the reluctance with which Japan gave up her "Twenty-One Demands" and the favourable position in which she now finds herself, it is reasonable to suppose that the Japanese entertain hopes of being able to secure at least the other rights demanded.

Negotiations on the three questions already settled have been conducted in utmost secrecy, details being reluctantly published only a day or two before actual putting into effect of the agreements. Discussions of the "demands" still pending will be even more carefully guarded and denied by both sides. This is understandable, for from the Chinese point of view any negotiations at all are anathema. From the Japanese standpoint it is also as well that not too much publicity be brought to bear on the discussions. Japanese ambitions in China received one serious setback when the "Twenty-One Demands" were brought to light and published abroad. And although Japan has less reason to fear adverse foreign opinion now than then, the lesson learned has not been forgotten.—United Press.

(To-morrow.—A bitter state in North China).

CINEMA NEWS

NOTES FROM THE THEATRES

Comedy, drama and music—offered by the largest collection of stars of the stage, screen and radio—feature the most unusual entertainment to come in many months. The production opening to-morrow at the Queen's Theatre, is "Universal's "Gift of Gab". The story of "Gift of Gab" concerns itself with the rise of an auctioneer, Edmund Lowe, to the foremost broadcasting announcer and reporter. In America, Lowe and Gloria Stuart, blonde and more beautiful than ever, furnish plenty of the thrills of the picture. Comedy elements are supplied by a large assortment of stooges, Phil Baker, Victor Moore, proprietor of "Trivor's Livers" sponsoring the broadcast; Alice White, Hugh O'Connell, Douglas Fowley, Henry Arnetha, Helen Vinson and Sterling Holloway. Music is given to the audience of Ruth Etting, Ethel Waters, Gene Austin, the Beale Street Boys, the Downey Sisters, and Guy Arnhem and his band. Satire is presented during a radio broadcast by a mock murder mystery in which Bela Lugosi, Karloff, June Knight, Chester Morris, Douglas Montgomery and Paul Lukas display their talents. The conglomeration of the production is tuneful, punchy, rollicking and at times insane, but entertainment if offered at all times. If you want to see a great collection of players at their best make up your mind not to miss the "Gift of Gab".

"Student Tour"

Mirth, melody and pulchritude are delightfully blended in "Student Tour," sparkling musical comedy production of Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer now showing at the Queen's Theatre. This new picture strikes a new note in musical entertainment. Featuring Jimmy Durante, Charles Butterworth, Maxine Doyle and Phil Regan, it also has a cast that includes some of the liveliest college girls in America, most of them appearing on the screen for the first time. Musical hits include the "Carlo," sensational new ballroom dance that is sweeping the world. Other song hits are "From Now On," "A New Moon is Over My Shoulder," and others. Besides the music, the picture features riotous comedy provided by Durante and Butterworth, and a group of those lovely girls. Phil Regan, successor of a biting inner voice, and Maxine Doyle play the romantic leads and the story concerns a group of college boys and girls on a round-the-world cruise with Durante as their Athletic trainer and Butterworth their professor.

"A Dangerous Affair"

One of the most entertaining mystery films of the year is "A Dangerous Affair," at the Columbia film that opens to-day at the Columbia film. Jack Holt and Katharine Graver, who are co-starred, will delight screen fans with their spirited performances in a film that is ideally suited to them. They work together like a charm. The story starts with the adventures of Wally Cook, a New York newspaper reporter, who gets himself assigned to a sleepy Long Island town so that he can be near his old friend, Lieutenant McHenry of the local police force. The town is so dead that Wally decides to start a little excitement. He steals a necklace belonging to Marjory Randolph, heiress to the Randolph millions. He plans to return it to her the next day with a story of what a desperate struggle he had recovering it from some villainous gunmen, but it is stolen from him before he can effect his plan—and then he has a real mystery to solve. The theft of this necklace starts things in the dull Long Island town. Following the reading of the Randolph will the family lawyer is found murdered. McHenry and Wally, in attempting to trap the murderer, call at the Randolph mansion in the dead of night and find the body of the village jeweller with a knife in his back. Who committed these crimes and what connection did the necklace have with it all? The manner in which Holt and Graver solve the mystery is both amusing and clever. The cast is excellent throughout and the direction well planned. The photographs are of course in the haunted house where a good deal of the action transpires, is excellent. Those in the supporting cast who contribute commendable performances are Sally Blane, who plays the role of Marjory

U.S. COMMODITY PRICES

LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS

Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz have received the following quotations on the New York exchange for yesterday.

	Jan. 7.	Jan. 8.	Close	Range
New York Cotton				
January	12.55	12.59	12.59	12.55-12.59
March	12.65	12.69	12.69	12.65-12.69
May	12.73	12.78	12.78	12.73-12.78
July	12.76	12.81	12.82	12.76-12.82
October (1935)	12.62	12.63	12.63	12.62-12.63
December (1936)	12.68	12.67	12.67	12.67-12.68
Spot	12.85	12.90		

	New York Rubber
January	13.74
March	13.94
May	14.15
July	14.35
September	14.54
October	14.63
Total sales: 471 lots	13.70-13.70

	Chicago Wheat
May	101 1/2
July	94 1/2
September	92 1/2
Monday's sales: 20,970,000 bushels	101 1/2-91 1/2

	Chicago Corn
May	91 1/2
July	86 1/2
September	83 1/2
Total sales: 11,408,000 bushels	91 1/2-84 1/2

	Winnipeg Wheat
May	84
July	84
Total sales: 217 lots	84-84 1/2

	New York Silk
March	1.37 1/2
May	1.38
July	1.38
Total sales: 217 lots	1.37 1/2-1.37 1/2

	Montreal Silver
March	54.90
May	55.20
July	56.15
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Saar Voters Disqualified

GAVE NAZI SALUTE WHILE POLLING

Saarbruecken, Jan. 8. Five men who gave the Hitler salute on entering a polling station to-day, during the first stage of the Saar plebiscite, were immediately disqualified from voting.

The German Front has protested vigorously.

The polling to-day was for the benefit of prison warders, hospital attendants and others who will be on duty on Sunday.

The incident has caused some excitement here.—Reuter.

LIMITING EUROPE'S ARSENAL

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ment agreement, and the protocol recently signed by these powers here contains the following reference to the situation:

"The Italian and French Governments, referring to the declaration of equality rights of December 11, 1931, have come to an agreement that no country should modify by unilateral acts their obligations with regard to armaments and in case of such an eventuality, they should consult each other."

An official statement of the details of the Franco-Italian Pact confirms the reports already published, with regard to African colonial expansion, guarantees of Austrian independence and a general agreement to co-operate in the work of reconstruction in Europe.—Reuter.

WORLD COTTON PRODUCTION

BETTER DEMAND IN FAR EAST

Washington, Jan. 8. The Department of Agriculture to-day estimated that world cotton production in 1934 would amount in total to 23 million bales, which is 200,000 bales below the figure indicated by the Department's announcement in November. The lower figure is due chiefly to reduced prospects in India.

Exports of American cotton continued on a comparatively small scale during November.

European consumption during the first four months of the current season was materially below that for the corresponding period of 1933, but manufacturing activity and consumption in Japan and China increased.—United Press.

HOME RAILWAY TARIFFS

OWNERS AND MEN IN CONFERENCE

London, Jan. 8. Discussions on the machinery of the negotiation for railway tariffs were resumed to-day between representatives of the four main railways and of the Railways' Unions.

The meetings are intended to evolve a form of new tribunal to deal with any future disputes that may arise.—British Wireless.

HAICHING STARTS FOR SOUTH

INAUGURATING COAST SERVICE

Shanghai, Jan. 9. The s.s. Haiching, of the China Merchants Steam Navigation Company, which was built in England recently, is starting on her regular service to South China ports, including Swatow and Hongkong, this morning.

She is carrying 2,600 tons of freight and a large number of passengers.—Central News.

IN WIRELESS TOUCH

The following ships are expected to be in wireless communication with Hongkong to-day: R.I.M.S. Saga, Sirdhana, Hupeh, Taiyuan, Ponang Maru, Shangle, Danwood, Pres. Hayes, Pres. Harrison, Michigan, Tantalus, Clara Jobson, Haining, Anjou, Pres. Taft.

One case of Small-pox, six cases of Diphtheria with three deaths, three cases of Typhoid, four cases of Meningitis with two deaths; and 45 deaths from Tuberculosis, were reported to the local health authorities last week. On Monday one case each of Small-pox and Diphtheria were reported.—Central News.

CORRESPONDENCE

School Subjects

The Editor, Hongkong Telegraph

Sir,—Having the interest and welfare of all Chinese and foreign students in the Colony and in Kowloon at heart, I regretfully find that some of the subjects taught in various schools and colleges are practically useless to most of the students after school life.

When I say that some of the subjects taught are, to the majority of the students, useless, I mean trigonometry, physics, chemistry and science. These subjects are useful only to students who can afford and who are prepared to sit for higher studies. But what percentage of the pupils can afford to continue their studies in universities? Surely it is common logic to deduce that "stones are more than diamonds" and as such, it is to the benefit of the greater portion of students that they should insist to be taught subjects which would eventually prove to be their means of gaining a livelihood.

After all, one of the main reasons why most parents slave and toil to send their children to school is to see that they are trained and equipped with sufficient knowledge to enable them to find for themselves when they grow up. I need not, I am sure, have to point out to the public that to find employment nowadays, or at any other time, without any knowledge or experience in any of the useful subjects such as typewriting, shorthand and bookkeeping, would be practically impossible.

In my humble opinion, I see no earthly reason why the unnecessary subjects mentioned above should not be deleted and substituted by a short, but thorough commercial training in school. I am certain that if the students are afforded such a course of training, their chances of securing employment when they leave school, would undeniably be greater, for the simple reason that they will be equipped and trained to use certain knowledge which are essential business and commercial circles, viz., typewriting, shorthand and bookkeeping. In British Malaya, most of the schools and colleges there teach these subjects, and as a result the business circles benefit largely to a great extent, in that they have always a large number of young people who are at least commercially trained, to call upon.

It would indeed be gratifying to most parents or guardians to know that the amount of labour and toil put in by them day in and day out would culminate in their children or wards being able to take care of themselves. This is the only adequate reward to all their trials and tribulations. I hardly dare to conjecture what the sufferings some parents have to contend with, when their children leave school and have to stay unemployed, not through any fault of theirs, but chiefly owing to their lack of training.

This can only be remedied by the deletion of the unnecessary subjects, and the sooner this is done, the better it is, for most parents as well as students. It would be just a sheer waste of money for students to take up commercial courses when they leave school. The time spent here would be better occupied in furthering their prospects, if they had only been given some sort of a commercial course while in school. Time is invaluable to everyone, and as such, I see no reason why most of these students should be made to take up commercial courses after school, which would mean another course of learning which could have easily been dispensed with, had they been given such training while in school.

It seems incredible, but it is unfortunately so, that most parents do not realise what their children are being taught in school and the consequences thereof. I am not criticising the educational authorities for allowing such unnecessary subjects, which, in my humble opinion should be deleted, but only to point out to the public just what subjects would be useful and beneficial to their children when they leave school.

In conclusion, I earnestly hope that this my humble appeal will gain the serious consideration of both Chinese and foreign members of the community of Hongkong, who, I trust, will see their way to agree with me that unless the unnecessary subjects mentioned above are cancelled, their children's chances of bettering their positions in life after school, would indeed be very slim.

LEE KEANG CHEE.

TOURIST INDUSTRY

Tokyo, Jan. 9. The Bureau of the Tourist Industry of the Japanese Ministry of Railways has extended invitations to various countries to send representatives to an International Conference of Far East tourist organisations to be held some time next April at Tokyo under the auspices of the Ministry of Railways.—Central News.

NEW NAVAL PARLEY POSSIBLE

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next few months renewed efforts would be made which would be successful in achieving an agreement between Britain, Japan and the United States.

Mr. Davis is further reported as having told President Roosevelt and Mr. Hull that there was a good chance of the three powers reaching an agreement for naval limitation within the year.

Mr. Davis believes that this solution would be reached by means of the British proposals at the London talks.

Furthermore, Mr. Davis is optimistic with regard to the possibility of a general disarmament agreement at Geneva in the near future.—Reuter Special.

PRINCIPLE OF EQUALITY

Washington, Jan. 8. Mr. Norman Davis, chief delegate from America to the London tri-party naval conversations, declared to-day that despite the apparent failure of the conference they had, he believed, prepared the ground for an eventual Japanese-American naval agreement.

This agreement might possibly be reached in 1935.

He said the denunciation of the Washington Treaty by Japan did not mean that the three powers would necessarily embark upon a naval armaments race. That was the last thing they desired.

Mr. Davis said his report to the Secretary of State, Mr. Cordell Hull, reflected the conciliatory attitude of the American delegation towards the Japanese demands and their appreciation of the Japanese naval ambitions.

It was subsequently learned that Mr. Davis told Mr. Hull that a possible solution of the naval deadlock would be by means of mutual agreements on the programmes of the treaty signatories, instead of by a ratio system.

He indicated that this was the general British thesis and meant that the principle of equality would be extended to all signatories of the naval treaty.—United Press.

DAVIS' PREDICTIONS

Washington, Jan. 8. Mr. Norman Davis has predicted, in talk with President Roosevelt, an agreement for the limitation of armaments on land and sea within two years if the spirit of international co-operation is fostered.

He thinks the most plausible basis for a naval pact for Britain, Japan and America would be along the lines of the compromise proposals made by the British which are understood to provide for construction by each nation as required by existing programmes, with each agreeing to make no fundamental changes in future programmes without advance notice to other signatories of the treaty.

The London parleys had greatly clarified the atmosphere and laid the groundwork for an eventual compromise agreement, Mr. Davis said.—Reuter.

WILLIAM DE MORGAN

ENGLISH ASSOCIATION ADDRESS

An interesting address on the life of William de Morgan, the nineteenth century novelist who wrote his first book at the age of 65 and who achieved fame in life both as an author and a potter, was delivered by Mr. M. F. Key before the Hongkong Branch of the English Association at the Helena May Institute yesterday afternoon.

The Hon. Sir Thomas Southorn presided at the meeting, which was the third of the Session 1934-35. Others present included Lady Southorn, His Excellency, Admiral Sir Frederic C. Dreyer, Sir William Hornell, Rev. Father G. T. Byrne, S.J., Mr. G. P. de Martin, Mr. P. S. Cassidy, Mr. A. N. Macfadyen, and Mr. R. R. Campbell (Hoz), Secretary and Treasurer.

In the course of yesterday's meeting, Mr. Campbell said that the duty which he would perform should have fallen on Sir Thomas, as Chairman of the function, but as Sir Thomas had refused to do so, it was his privilege to congratulate Lady Southorn, on behalf of the Association, on having been made an Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire. Lady Southorn was a most popular member of the Association and had rendered great help in the past, and it was a most pleasant duty for him to offer her the congratulations of the Association on the honour which had been conferred upon her.

Lady Southorn suitably replied, thanking Mr. Campbell for his kind remarks.

H.K. EDUCATIONAL PROGRESS

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training required by apprentices of engineering firms.

(d) Part-Time (Trade) Courses, (mainly evening classes) which provide additional practical instruction in the actual trade followed by the student by day.

(e) Minor Courses, which give a short, full time day course of training in vocations which do not require a full apprenticeship.

Of these, a Junior Course (a) is at present in operation at the Junior Technical School, and a first course for Dockyard apprentices (c) will be opened in the evening at the Junior Technical School in January, 1935; a first part-time trade course (d) is in operation in the Junior Technical School under the title "Carpentry Class"; and various classes at present under the Technical Institute will be grouped under (e).

It is proposed to commence further courses in each category immediately the Trade School building is complete and equipped.

TYPES OF COURSES

After going into great detail regarding the various courses, the report recommends the following fees:

Senior Courses:—Marine Engineering, \$60 per annum; Building, \$60 per annum; Automobile Repair, \$60 per annum. On obtaining recognition from the Board of Trade consideration should be given to raising the fee for Marine Engineering to \$120 per annum, as the financial reward is amply sufficient to justify this.

From sources usually reliable it is learnt that the Stabilisation Committee is considering purchasing \$20,000,000 worth of silver for importation into Shanghai in order to relieve the tightness of the money situation.—United Press.

LOCAL DOLLAR UNCHANGED

Despite a drop in silver prices both in London and New York, the Hongkong dollar opened unchanged this morning at 1s. 8½d. In contrast to yesterday afternoon, the market was quite steady on opening, and business was done at 1s. 8½d./32d. and 1s. 8½d./32d.

Silver prices declined a farthing in London yesterday, the fall being due to China and Indian speculative selling. America, however, bought, and the market was steady.

In New York, silver declined 3/8ths yesterday to 64½¢.

CHIANG KAI-SHEK

MADE PRESIDENT OF WAR COLLEGE

Nanking, Jan. 8. Marshal Chiang Kai-shek received another concurrent post to-day when the Executive Yuan appointed him President of the War College, succeeding General Yan Chieh, who becomes head of the Educational Department of the same institution.—Reuter.

Ho Ying-ching's Mission

Nanking, Jan. 8. It is reported that General Ho Ying-ching, the Minister of War, is going to Shanghai this week for the purpose of paying his last respects to the remains of Marshal Yen Hsi-shan's father on behalf of Marshal Chiang Kai-shek.

General Ho Ying-ching returned this morning from Fenghua, where he had a meeting with Marshal Chiang Kai-shek.

Interviewed by Chinese newspaper representatives, General Ho Ying-ching said that Marshal Chiang Kai-shek was in excellent health, having fully recovered from effects of his tooth trouble.

REUTER

LOST OVERBOARD

CHINESE SEAMAN FALLS OFF MAU SANG

When the steamer Mau Sang arrived in port yesterday she reported that one of her seamen, a Chinese named Cheung Ito, had fallen over the side and was drowned while she was on her voyage from Sandakan to Hongkong.

It appears that the man was engaged in securing a gangway on the upper deck during heavy seas, when he fell into the sea. His plight was immediately seen by the Mau Sang's officers, who threw two lifebuoys to the man struggling in the water.

Order was immediately given to stop the ship and a lifeboat, commanded by the Chief Officer, was put in the water in quick time. The lifeboat made for the spot where the man was last seen but failed to find him.

Apparently, the seaman was unable to swim to the lifebuoys thrown to him, as they were floating in the spot where he disappeared.

FINE TO CLOUDY

The anticyclone covers China and Japan, pressure being highest over the Lower Yangtze Valley and the Sea of Japan. The depression has moved to the northeast of Hokkaido. Local forecast:

N.E. winds, moderate; fine to cloudy.

FRANCO-ITALIAN PACT

BRITISH PRESS COMMENT

Rome, Jan. 8. A most brilliant demonstration of Franco-Italian friendship was staged when the French Foreign Minister, M. Laval, departed for Paris this morning.

He was farewelled by Signor Mussolini, Signor Suvitch, the Baron Aloisi and other distinguished Italian leaders.

The Carabinieri guarded the streets which were lined with cheering crowds.

The traffic was closed to all traffic, while bands played in the streets outside.

The final farewell between Il Duca and M. Laval was most cordial.—Reuter.

France Jubilant

Paris, Jan. 8. France is jubilant over the outcome of the Rome negotiations.

It is felt that Germany will not stand aloof and that France and Italy have gone much further than was expected towards a disarmament agreement.

France has apparently moved towards the Italian standpoint, which will enhance the importance of M. Laval's visit to London.

There are indications that the political agreements may be completed by the Bank of France siding with the Bank of Italy.—Reuter.

Press Comment

London, Jan. 7. The value of the new agreement is fully recognised in the British Press. The Times says:

"It is no exaggeration to say that the protocols have improved the whole outlook in Europe and that the conclusion of the convention favourably changes the atmosphere of new Mediterranean politics, and ought to result ultimately in the solution of the hitherto insoluble Franco-Italian naval problem."

The Morning Post says there is much good for the world that this new accord may help to bring about. If the general pact receives the signature of surrounding nations, there will be one more reason to anticipate more harmony from 1935 than we had dared to expect from the dreadful events of 1934.

The First Step

The New Chronicle emphasises the extreme psychological importance of agreements.

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Sarah said, "Let Tony wait, Ann, and read these headlines!"

BEGIN HERE TO-DAY

ANN (OLLISTER), pretty and 20, finds work in a library. She falls in love with TONY MICKLE, commercial artist, although warned against him by BARAH KENT, her roommate. They meet PETER KENDALL, wealthy and prominent, who is engaged to VALERIA HUNNITT, society girl. Valeria spends much of her time with a gay crowd without Peter.

Tony asks Ann to marry him and she agrees. Although Tony has promised to "settle down" and save money so they can marry, he continues his dissolute ways and comes to JOHN MACDONALD and displays an engagement ring. Tony promises Ann a ring for a Christmas gift.

Sarah and Ann prepare a festive Christmas Eve dinner but Tony fails to appear.

CHAPTER X

Mac crossed to the telephone. "I'll find out where Tony is," he said. "I went by for him but he was busy and said he'd be here in plenty of time for dinner. When Tony's busy, the sky could fall."

He gave the operator the number, waited, but there was no answer.

"You should have brought him along," Sarah said reproachfully.

Ann's face burned at the implication in Sarah's words. "Why? Tony doesn't need a nurse."

Mac said, uncomfortably, "Shall I dash out and look about a little?"

"No," said Ann sharply. "Please, I'd rather you wouldn't."

Mac returned to his chair. He looked sober, troubled, thoughtful.

Ann said, with an effort at brightness, "Let's dash up, Sarah. We won't wait on Tony. He doesn't deserve a hot dinner, being more than an hour late."

They sat down at the table, keeping up the pretense of gaiety. Keeping up the pretense of believing Tony would come struggling in at the end. All through the long meal they were pretending, Mac doing his best, his booming bass filling the unhappy lapses.

Afterward they stacked the dishes and put them in hot suds. Sarah and Ann would "do" them later.

"Come along with us to a movie, Ann," Sarah suggested. "It will serve Tony right to find nobody home. Do you suppose he could be ill? Maybe you should phone Ann."

Presently they were gone, giving Ann the chance to crawl miserably to her room and let tears, held back so long, have their way—to weep her heart out.

She was still awake, hours later, when Sarah returned. Still awake, Christmas dinner began to ring, heralding the advent of a glad day. And then at last Ann slept until the telephone aroused her. She heard Sarah's voice calm and cool.

Peter said, "You couldn't get the picture off here in the car, Val."

"I saw quite enough." She tried to keep the irritation out of her voice.

"Bored?" queried Peter quietly.

Valeria's intuition came to her rescue. "Sorry, I was such a wretch. But I have headache. I've had one all night."

"Why didn't you tell me?" He was all concern in an instant.

"Well, stop somewhere and get something for it."

"No, Ann's here. No, I won't. She isn't awake and she didn't sleep last night and—"

"I'm awake," Ann called. She was moderately relieved. Suppose something had happened to Tony. Suppose he really was ill!!!

"Hello."

"Ann, this is the dim-wit who loves you."

"Oh!" Then he hadn't been ill—or hurt.

"I'm coming right over. We're having Christmas dinner together. At the sweetest joint in town. Ann, can you ever forgive me?"

He scarcely heard her low voice.

He was thinking of the way that

crippled kid had grabbed at those

skates. The boy couldn't use them,

yet he hadn't have exchanged them

for anything on the tree.

Valeria was saying, "We'll go

riding this evening to-morrow, Peter.

Remember last Christmas how pretty

it looked?" The snow was deeper

than this, wasn't it? And the trees

were marvellous. Come early—about

nine will be all right. We'll go to

the park. It will be white and

beautiful."

Peter was having breakfast alone

when Don came into the dining room

next morning.

"Well," Peter asked. "Is the world

coming to an end? Think of meet-

ing you before noon."

Don answered the affectionate

rally with a low growl. "Beastly

head. I rang for the papers."

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ABSORPTION OF BRITAIN'S
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London, Jan. 8.
Consultations between representatives of the Government and the General Council of the Trade Union Congress on the subject of a shorter working week will open on January 24.

BRITISH FINANCES

LATEST EXCHEQUER RETURNS

London, Jan. 8.
Exchequer returns for the past week show that during the current financial year the total ordinary revenue, exclusive of self-balancing revenue, amounted at January 5 to £430,667,802, which is £5,451,668 less than the amount collected at the corresponding date last year.

Expenditure for the same period, exclusive of self-balancing items, was £544,838,030, which exceeds the amount expended at the corresponding date of last year by £10,842,330.—British Wireless.

BRITISH BANKS PROSPERING

"BIG FIVE" REPORT MORE EARNINGS

London, Jan. 8.
The last of the big British banks announced their results to-day. All of the "Big Five" show increased earnings for 1934, and dividends are in every case maintained.

Of the three banks whose balance sheets are published to-day, the Westminster declared 18 per cent. dividend; the Midland 16 per cent. and the National Provincial 16 per cent.

On the Stock Exchange, bank shares closed firm following these announcements.—British Wireless.

BRITISH STOCKS BOOMING

STRONG DEMAND IN EVIDENCE

London, Jan. 8.
British Government stocks were in strong demand to-day.

War Loan three and half per cent. touched 110 and closed at 109 1/2. Consols 2 1/4 per cent. were one half up at 93 1/2, and others also rose substantially.—British Wireless.

OVER 3,400 BAD COINS

SEIZURE MADE AT BOARDING HOUSE

A police raid at the Shing On Boarding House, No. 167 Connaught Road Central, resulted in the seizure of 3,470 French Indo-China counterfeit ten-cent pieces. Before Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones at the Central Police Court this morning, Detective-Sergeant Clarke applied for confiscation of the coins.

There were no claimants in Court.

Sergeant Clarke stated that a raid was made at the boarding house for forged documents and the counterfeit coins were found in a cupboard, the key to which was produced by the accountant. The master, who also had a key, had left the previous day for Canton. The accountant had been employed there for a month and the police were satisfied he had nothing to do with the money. He was released. The money was certified bad by the French Bank.

The application for confiscation was granted.

SNATCHER SENT TO GAOL

STOLE WOMAN'S HANDBAG

A snatching incident in Gilman Street last night had a sequel before Mr. Wynne-Jones in the Central Police Court this morning when Leung Sam, 28, unemployed, was charged with the theft of a handbag, containing a handkerchief and \$4.20 in money, from Chan Mui-ching, married woman.

Inspector Ellis stated that complainant was walking in Gilman Street when the defendant came up from behind and snatched the bag. He was chased and caught by a Chinese constable in Des Voeux Road Central.

Defendant: I have only just come to Hongkong. I ask for leniency, as I have a desire to go back to the country.

The Magistrate passed sentence of four months' hard labour, with twelve strokes of the birch.

PEAK THEFTS

MAN GETS SIX-MONTH PRISON TERM

A total of six months' hard labour was imposed by Mr. W. Schofield, at the Central Magistracy this morning, on Li Sau-ki, alias Li Kwan, aged 42, unemployed, when he appeared on remand on six charges of larceny from two Peak houses. The stolen property belonged to Mr. John Ross, Mr. A. B. Stewart and Miss Hussey, the total value being \$302.

Sub-Inspector M. Murphy, prosecuting, said the defendant had been employed at No. 361 The Peak for three years as a coolie, and for about 14 months at No. 4 Tregunter Mansions. He was dismissed from No. 4 Tregunter Mansions some time in 1933, and apparently while employed there he had made a duplicate key. Defendant admitted, when arrested, that he had entered the premises with this duplicate key.

The defendant was arrested on December 28 in a pawnshop at Wanchai, where he was trying to pawn a ruby ring. He was searched and the pair of gold cuff links was found on him. He was taken to the Police Station, and eventually took the police to various addresses, and all the property was recovered, except four wooden elephants. The defendant gave the police every assistance in tracing the stolen goods.

LEAGUE COUNCIL MEETING

BRITISH DELEGATES TO ATTEND

London, Jan. 8.
Both Sir John Simon, Foreign Secretary, and Mr. Anthony Eden, Lord Privy Seal, will travel to Geneva on Thursday for the following day's meeting of the League Council.

This afternoon, Sir John called on the Prime Minister, and it is understood, discussed with him the Franco-Italian agreement and kindred matters.—British Wireless.

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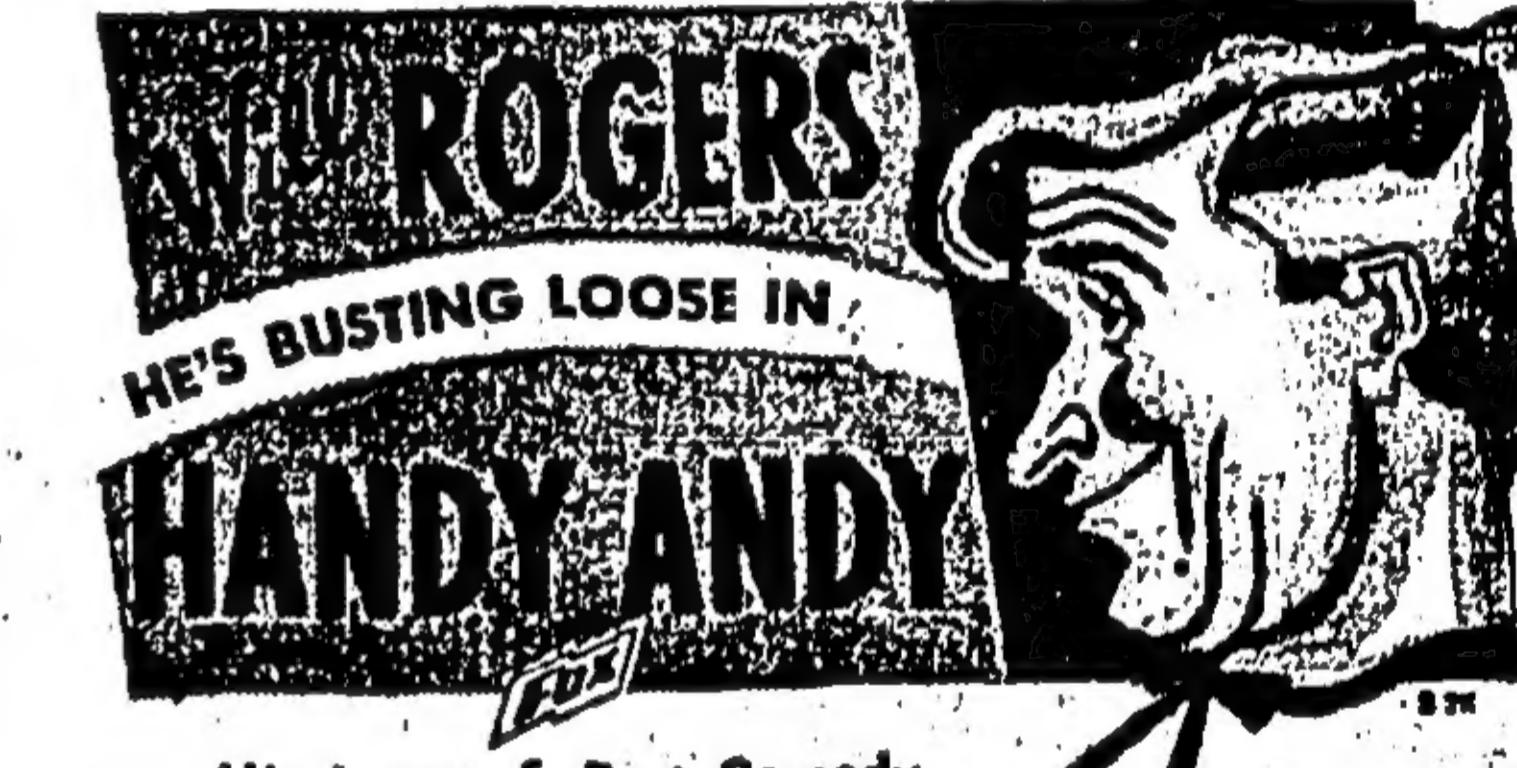
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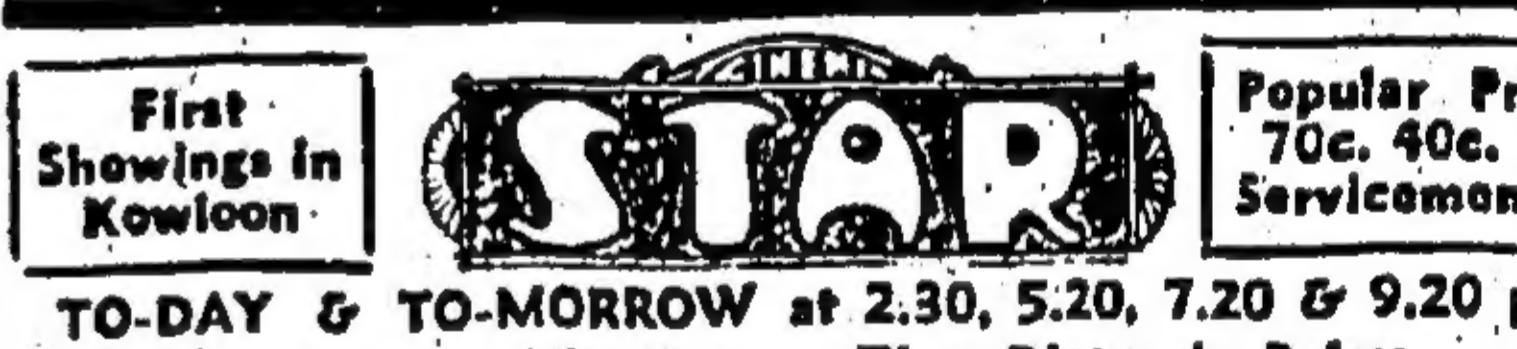
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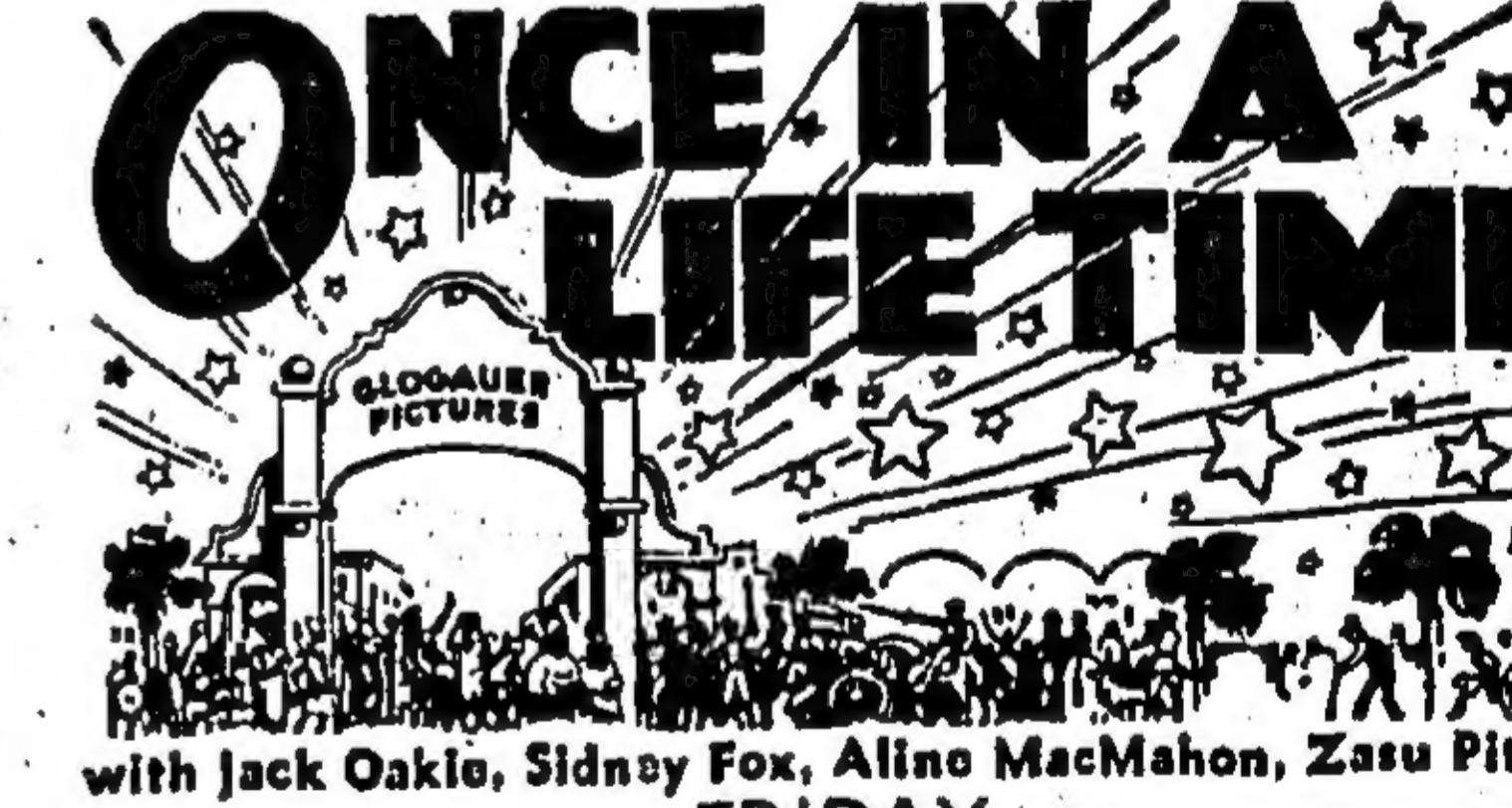
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